

SOME OF THE EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

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SENATOR PEERS WAS PREVIOUS.

New Blind Asylum Project Will Not Be Long Delayed.

THE COMMITTEE'S POWERS.

There is a Fund of \$20,000 for the Site, and the Old Building Will Bring \$150,000 at Least.

State Senator C. E. Peers of Warrenton, Mo., came into town yesterday and almost the first thing he did was to announce that the project for a new State Blind Asylum was dead beyond resurrection.

No appropriation; no market for the old property at Nineteenth and Morgan streets; no nothing" were the reasons Senator Peers stated that had caused the complete abandonment of the enterprise.

The Senator had an amendment tacked onto the original bill in the Senate permitting the location of the new asylum anywhere in the State, instead of in St. Louis, as originally provided. Senator Peers is anxious that the asylum be located in Warrenton, and last night Representative John W. Drabell told a Post-Dispatch reporter that this fact probably accounts for the Senator's effort to throw cold water on the enterprise.

Instead of being dead, the enterprise is very much alive according to Mr. Drabell, and as Mr. Peers is not even a member of the committee appointed to locate the new asylum, while Mr. Drabell is Mr. Drabell, probably knows what he is doing. In the light of facts furnished by Mr. Drabell, he is probably correct in his opinion that Mr. Peers is a dog in the manger act, because he realizes that when the asylum is erected it will be in St. Louis or its vicinity.

"That was about settled at the last meeting of the commission," said Mr. Drabell. "The commission was composed of Senator Drum of Marble Hill, Chairman; Senator Ballard of Clinton, Representative Gmora of Booneville, Frank R. O'Neil of St. Louis and myself. All of the Commission members are in St. Louis for the new asylum, except Senator Ballard, and he is not particularly opposed except that he is naturally desirous that the building be located at Warrenton, and Springfield and Dubois are also after it.

"The location and purchase of the site, however, rests entirely with the commission. So far as an appropriation is concerned, we are empowered by law to draw on the State Treasury for \$20,000 to purchase a site, whenever we see fit. It is only secured. We are not compelled to consult any one before purchasing a site and erecting the building. We have the right to raise money by the sale of the old property. We are almost assured of a purchaser in the spring. Three prospective buyers are ready to figure on it, one with a view to improving the site, and two others who are from present prospects that price can be obtained without any great difficulty.

"We desire to retain the asylum in St. Louis, not for the benefit of the city so much as for the welfare of the inmates. Here they have the advantage of the city, and the city, which services are given the State gratuitously. They are also provided with entertainment and the like, and have a hand lighter. In St. Louis, however, they could not have the attention of specialists and would be deprived of almost all other advantages."

HE IS FLYING LIGHT.

Curious Feat Performed by John Higgins, an Englishman.

From the New York Herald.

John Higgins, an Englishman who is exhibiting in San Francisco, jumps into a basket of eggs every night and out again without breaking a shell. The eggs are piled up about two feet from the floor, which is about two feet from the floor. Higgins stands upon one side, looks at the treacherous white hen produce for a few moments, and then, with a sudden spring, is up in the air. He jumps to the basket, just as the body reaches a point over the eggs, seems to lower himself, and then, with a sudden spring, is up again and over the basket.

It is a very pretty trick and always evokes applause, for to the spectator it seems certain that the jumper will sink through a sea of scrambled yolks and fall, and the trick is done. In the water jump, however, the whole foot has to be placed squarely on the surface, a far more difficult matter than merely tipping with the toe.

One of his turns which is greatly admired is that known as the bell jump. An ordinary call bell is placed on the top of a chair, which is on top of a table. Higgins clears the obstacle and rings the bell. This is done by planting a foot on the nob of the bell as he jumps over it. In all his trick performances he keeps both feet together, so that if one should miss the object, he it is, water, but he can never reach it. The Englishman thinks it nothing at all to vault over two horses, each six hands high, or to jump from a stone match box as large as an ordinary brick, and clear a chair 5 feet away.

A DEFECTIVE HOIST.

The Alleged Wells Murder May Have Been an Accident.

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 23.—All the medical men called by the Hyams defense to-day agreed that the fractures to Wells' skull could have been caused by one blow. For some time before the Hyams brothers moved into the warehouse where Wells was killed, Imrie & Graham, printers, occupied the building. Graham, who worked for Imrie & Graham in 1893, testified that the hoist was in a bad condition. It would set in trouble. It would lodge on the floor and some one had to yell up to it would not answer the bell. It would not answer the bell or guides, which were broken or had given away; the weight box on the first floor had pieces split out; other employees of Imrie & Graham gave similar testimony.

RESPIRE FOR FRANK HARRIS.

Appeal to Gov. Altgeld by Fr. Moran and Charles Nieman.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 23.—Rev. Fr. Moran and Chas. Nieman of Freeport appeared before Gov. Altgeld and asked for a respite for Frank Harris, who is sentenced to hang there Nov. 23 for the murder of Belagall. They claimed that strong evidence has been learned of which will be the means of securing a new trial. Gov. Altgeld requested them to appear here next Wednesday.

B. & O. S. W. By.

To all points East. Lowest fares obtainable.

Shot at a Chicken Thief.

Early Saturday morning Lewis Frank of 211 North Eleventh street, caught a man entering from his barn with a chicken in each hand. Frank fired five shots at the thief, causing him to drop the fowls and take to his heels. None of the shots took effect.



Three Prominent Members of the Morning Choral Society.

A BERETTA FOR ARCHBISHOP SATOLLI.

Rumor of Promotion Confirmed by Cardinal Gibbons.

CEREMONIES IN BALTIMORE.

Procession of Catholic Dignitaries, Conferring of the Cardinalate and Pontifical Mass.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 23.—Cardinal Gibbons to-day confirmed the statement that the beretta would be conferred on Archbishop Satolli on December 15 in this city.

"Mr. Satolli has arranged to have the ceremonies incident to his elevation take place in this city on Sunday, December 15, beginning at 10:30 a. m.," said the Cardinal.

"The mass will be celebrated by Mr. Satolli and I will have the honor of conferring the beretta."

"Immediately after the announcement is made in the consistory on Monday the member of the noble guard, designated by the Holy Father to be the bearer of the beretta and Seuchetto will leave Rome for Washington. No further details of the ceremony will be arranged until after his arrival in this city. The ceremony will be similar to that upon the occasion of which was published at such length in all your papers. It will include the usual procession of dignitaries and clergy, special music, etc."

"Upon entering the cathedral Mr. Satolli and myself will occupy positions upon the epistle and gospel sides of the sanctuary, respectively. The member of the noble guard from Rome and certain designated members of the hierarchy will be invited to seats within the chancel. The ceremony of conferring the Cardinalate will precede the mass, and at its conclusion Mr. Satolli will leave the sanctuary and exchange his purple robes for those of a Cardinal. Upon his return he will celebrate high Pontifical mass, assisted by such bishops or priests as he himself shall designate. Then will follow the sermon and this is about all that can be stated in regard to the ceremony at this time."

"The invitations to the ceremony are now being printed after a formula used upon the occasion of my own elevation to the Cardinalate which I furnished Mr. Satolli at his request. The invitations upon these occasions are always attended personally by the person whose additional dignity is

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He Proved to Be a Most Himself, and Made Numerous Brilliant Plays on Manhattan's Gridiron.

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Notwithstanding former Dunn's propitious forecast, the day dawned bright and clear and was such as to delight the heart of any man who had ever seen a contest on the gridiron field. As early at 10 o'clock the crowd began to assemble and by the time the game started not a vacant seat remained in any of the grand stands and hardly a standing room.

It was exactly 3 o'clock when the Princeton team, having been the victors in the previous game, entered the enclosure. Then the crowd broke loose and the players who were to play the game were seen to be in the best of health and in the best of spirits. The preliminary practice was held at 11 o'clock and the game was to start at 12 o'clock.

Captain Thorne won the toss and chose the eastern goal, giving the Yale team the advantage in the kick-off. As the game proceeded the Princeton players became the point on which all eyes were focused.

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BROADWAY, 224 N. W. Very desirable store or combination restaurant, with telephone; low rent.
BROADWAY, 211 N. Large store, 352. Malcolm Macbeth, 12 N. 8th st.
BUILDING-For rent, new building, N. W. cor. 2d and Market streets; 4 stores on Market; 3 stores on
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feet, electric lights, gas, water, sewer, and all conveniences; opening for light manufacturing; possession
Dec. 15. Apply to J. Hillier, 618 Pine st.
CLARK AV., 2125-Single room for less than room or less.
CHESTNUT ST., 1115-Nice, large office room in rear. Keeley & Co., 1115 Chestnut st.
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RYANS AV. 2620-Store and one room; \$15. Inquire at 2627 Ryans av.
1414-2-The Lieberman Park, corner of 15th and Chestnut streets, to be rented by first-class parties.
Morgan, 1900 Chestnut av.
LEE AND RYAN STS.-Large store, suitable for any kind of business; rent reasonable. Call
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LOCKPORT-Store and one room, suitable for any kind of business; rent and dentist. Apply 1600 Franklin av.
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OLIVE ST., 2712-Light, airy store; water free; reduced to \$16.00.
OFFICE-Fine large office cheap. Apply 714 Pine st., Room 11.
OFFICE-Fine large office cheap. Apply 715 and 713 and 711 Olive and 6th sts.; best location in
the city; vaults and washstands in office; rent reasonable; \$15 to \$40 per month, depend-
ing on location and size of office. Apply to W. B. Wells, Real Estate Agent, 834 Commercial Bldg.
PINE ST., 612 and 615-Nice office, \$75. W. B. Wells, Real Estate Agent, 834 st.
PINE ST., 612 and 615-Nice offices with steam heat. Keeley & Co., 1115 Chestnut st.
PINE ST., 214-Bargain, 4-story building, \$40. Papin & Tustrop.
STORE-Splendid corner store in southwestern part of city; suitable for hardware. A.O. TST.
STORE-2-story brick stable for 3 horses and vehicles near of 2265 Walnut st. \$10. H. T. A.
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STORE AND ROOMS-Store and room, suitable for restaurant or other business. Apply 510
Franklin av.
STORE-At Webster Groves, Mo., fine store in brick building; best location in town; good opening for
grocery store. N. W. cor. 15th and Market Bldg., 415 and Market sts.
STORE-Flat roof or lean, stable building eight head of stock, with a 25-foot lot fronting, suitable for
stock raising. 12028 Carr st.
WASHINGTON ST., 1401-Rooms suitable for offices or studios on second and third floors.
WASHINGTON AV., 608-Store. Apply to Brady & Donovan, Landell Hotel office.
WASHINGTON AV., 210 and 212-Multi-building, four stories and basement, fronting 40 feet by
160 feet, of 180 rooms, with a good water supply, gas, electric power, pool light and electric power;
suitable for any kind of mercantile business or manufacturing; cheap rent. Apply to St. Louis
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2D ET AL., 1800-Store and one room, good location, fine condition, good light; also second floor No.
018 N. 2d st., third floor from southeast corner of Washington av.; both floors have an-
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4TH ET., 18 N. (opposite Court-house)-Pine store and cellar; also nice offices on 2d and 3d floors.
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11TH ET., 2507 N.-4672, 4 floors; separate or together; with or without power; lighted on all sides;
rent reasonable. Thomas Warren.
2D AND BIDDLE STS.-Store and one room, suitable for any kind of business; \$10 per month. Apply to
Grainstacks Atlantic Ice Co., 1918 Papin.

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ROOMS—Wanted, two rooms, 2d or 8d or 10c, at or about 27th and Locust sts. Add. T 762, this office.

ROOM—A nicely furnished room wanted in a select location by a quiet refined gentleman, with privilege. Address K 77, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, furnished room by young man east of 18th; give full particulars. Address A 758, this office.

ROOMS—Wanted, two furnished rooms for light housekeeping in good neighborhood; not over \$15. Add. O 801, this office.

ROOMS—Wanted, one or two unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; reasonable. Address F 766, this office.

ROOM—Young gentleman of standing desires agreeable quarters in small family. Add. P 801, this office.

ROOM—Gentleman and wife desire nicely furnished room in good neighborhood for transient use. Address O 780, this office.

ROOMS—Wanted, nicely furnished room for lady with privilege of dreaming, central part of city; state price. Add. O 800, this office.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Wanted, with privilege of very light housekeeping, one or two rooms in heated house.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.
DELMAR BOULEVARD, 4252—Handsomely furnished 9-room house; will either rent or sell all or part of the furnishings to suit tenant.
FURNISHED HOUSE—Handsomely furnished 7-room house; all modern conveniences; near Lucas and Compton; rent low for responsible party. Add. R. 1211, this office.
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PINE ST., 1114—Furnished rooming-house, cheap; full of roomers.
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FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

CHESTNUT ST. 5725. — 2 Rooms, 10 room stone-fronted modern, central heat, rent \$27.50. Phone No. 50725. — F. H. & C. B. GERHART, 707 Chestnut St.

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HOUSES—For lease, new ten-room houses, 1,200 hall, furnace, yard, etc. — 1001 N. 11th St. Phone No. 5011-15. — 1011-15 11th av. rent \$45.00. — M. N. Jefferson, 1001 N. 11th St.

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Have for rent the following DWELLINGS.

3528 PINE ST., 11 rooms, bath.....	\$53
1322 LINDEN ST., 6-room house (colored).....	\$28
1211 L'ETAS AV., 10 rooms, bath.....	\$35
1004 TAYLOR AV., 2-story frame, 6 rooms.....	\$15
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1113 S. TENTH ST., 10 rooms; bath.....	\$40

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FOR RENT.

**\$37.60 for that Elegant New
7-Room House on Boyle Av.**

Just being finished in hardwood; decorated and furnished in the latest style; central heating, gas heaters; entrance and all of latest style.
**AMERICAN N. E. & INVEST. CO. OF MO.
810 UNION ST. ROOM 307.**

FOR RENT.

\$25.00 will rent one of these elegant 7-room houses on Lundy and Pendleton, just being completed. They are built in the latest style, fully equipped with modern conveniences, and are beautifully decorated and papered; hardwood material used throughout.

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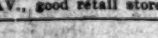
MOVING VANS.		5185 EASTON AVE., 3 rooms, 20 floor.....	15	
		2644 87 th AVENUE, 2 rooms, 2nd floor.....	12	
		ROOMS.		
The largest equipment, hand-painted padded vans. In the city; two-horse vans, three-horse vans, four-horse vans and ordinary furniture cars for hire by the hour, day or week. Moving and carrying goods and household furniture. Estimates cheerfully given. Satisfaction guaranteed; estimates checked.	Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co. 1745 and 1750 Morgan St. Phone 38-1100. Downtown Warehouse, 110 Adams St. Phone 3-1110.	CASS AND BLAIR AVE., 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	12	
		720 S. SIXTH ST., 4 rooms, 1st floor.....	10	
		1703 BIDDLE ST., 3 rooms, 1st floor.....	7	
		1010 W. 12TH ST., 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	7	
		1212 W. 12TH ST., 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	11	
		1221 GRATZ ST., 2 rooms, 2nd floor.....	11	
		1258 S. BROADWAY, 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	6	
		1010 W. 12TH ST., 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	7	
		1046 S. SEVENTH, 3 rooms, 1st floor.....	10	
		1046 S. SEVENTH, 3 rooms, 1st floor.....	10	
		104-106 10 th S., NINTH ST., rooms.....	10	
		SEVENTH AND WASH., rooms on both.....	10	
		712 S. BROADWAY, 1st floor.....	10	
		321 W. SEVENTH ST., 2 rooms, 1st floor.....	10	
		412 S. JEFFERSON, 4 rooms; bath.....	10	
		STORES.		
		CARR AND BLAIR.....	10	
		1021 FRANKLIN, good retail store.....	10	
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		1804 S. BROADWAY, store.....	10	

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1137 Delmar st. (detached), 10 rooms..... \$40.00
 2929 Easper st., 8 rooms, good order..... 35.00
 1011 1/2 Adams st., 10 rooms, good order..... 35.00
 1148 S 7th st., 12 rooms..... 35.00
 1011 1/2 Adams st., 10 rooms, good order at Clark st. 35.00
 6 room cottage (detached)..... 35.00
 771 5th st., 8 rooms..... 35.00
 1536 Clark av., 6 rooms, stable..... 35.00
 1348 Lathrop av., 8 rooms and bath..... 35.00
 4311 Cole Hillside av., 8 rooms..... 25.00
 Also other in Willamette..... 25.00

1302 E BROADWAY, 3-story building..... 50.00
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 181 N. SEVENTH ST., retail store..... 50.00
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**Saturday,
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3,500 FEET IN DUNDEN PLACE

THE GREAT INDUSTRIAL CENTER.

TERMS—One-third cash, balance in one and two years, 5 per cent interest. This great **INDUSTRIAL CENTER** is the place for the manufacturer and the investor. In the event of rain or snow the sale will be held at the Real Estate Exchange, 7th and Chestnut.

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HOMES!
 I will sell the magnificent eleven and twelve-room detached dwellings, Nos. 4113,
 4117, 4121, 4125 and 4133
AT AUCTION
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 Without limit or reserve to the highest bidder, guaranteeing a perfect title. These
 houses command 150 feet of ground to the rear, all the latest improvements, including

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 Rooms 709 to 718 Odd Fellows Building. Ninth and Olive Streets.

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 Saloon, 2001 N. 2d St.
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1456 S. 9th st., 7 rooms	\$22.00
1476 S. 9th st., 7 rooms	" "
9119 E. 1st st., 4 rooms	10.00
1009 Fourth Ave., 5 rooms	25.00
1515 Duane av., 5 rooms	" "
4029 Margaretta av., 7 rooms	26.00
1317 S. 4th st., 7 rooms	25.00
1418 Washington av., 8 rooms	" "

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FOR SALE:
First-class corner saloon, 701 Butler st.
2121 Washington st.; salmon.
N. 4th Cor. LaPrairie st.; salmon.
S. 4th cor. 14th and Taylor; salmon.
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**Call at NATIONAL BREWERY CO.,
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QUALITY-WIN sell estate \$100,000 for \$6000 in
modern 4 room house, West End,
\$200, \$2,000 straw hats, balsam merrill; worth
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each, half lot, fine view, lot 20x100 ft.
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7071	Clark st., 3 rooms, 1st floor	7.00
7072	Callaghan, 3 rooms, 1st floor, garage	7.00
7073	Clark st., 3 rooms, 1st floor	7.00
7074	1114½ Ave., 3 rooms, 1st floor	10.00
7075	1114½ Ave., 3 rooms, 1st floor	10.00
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e. She constantly goes out driving no matter what the condition of the weather. Unusual series of incidents occurred during the Queen's recent journey from Balmoral to Windsor Castle. First, her Majesty's favorite collie dog was killed on the way. As the Princess Louise was board-

IVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 22.—Miss Nora Thomas Davis and David Gallum drowned in the Cumberland river at Greek Ferry, twelve miles from this. While attempting to cross the river in their boat upset and the occupants drowned before assistance could be reached.

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ness, and although 81 years of age is powerful and in average health. He weighs 160 pounds and can span a distance of six feet eleven inches. He was born in Queens county. His ancestors were born in Dutchess and were all tall men. This man has been a widower three times and the father of eight children. He is a retired grocer and is living with one of his married sons.

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drove several miles in the dark with his hands tied behind him. When he entered his new home his head was covered with blood, and he was barefooted, and his hands were tied behind him so tightly that it took some time to free him. This morning he came here and will be interviewed by the sheriff, who thinks that he is crazy. The selectmen are keeping a sharp lookout for the wild man.

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One custom prevails here that is unknown in most parts of the West. The children turn the day—that part of it not covered with the feasting—into a sort of Mid-Grass celebration, with horns and music and kindred merrymaking that lasts late into the night and continues.

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only keys. His confession clears the tery. With Mr. Tenbroeck, one of Arm. Thimma went to the residence

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of the safe. Then he began his story.
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the safe and detectives caught Mr. T.

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that a poor man is always selected
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had nothing to do with it personally. He was arrested by order of the Board of Health," said the foreman.

would take every officer of the city to the arrests of this kind," said the Judge. The case proceeded and Stephens was held.

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"Romeo and Juliet" the First Production—The Abbey Company's Personnel—Promise of the Season.

Special Correspondence Sunday Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Never before did grand opera open in New York with as magnificent promise as on last Monday night, when the Abbey company went up in the Metropolitan Opera House on the first night of "Romeo and Juliet." The house was well filled with the cream of New York society, a bit tired from the exertion of attending the horse show, perhaps, but fairly ready to enjoy the good Abbey and his confreres have provided. The management has done well, indeed, it would be marvelous to do better. They have not only brought back most of those who last year won plaudits and high favor, but they have literally searched the world over for the finest voices, the most dramatic of singers, and they have gotten them. Their collection of songbirds is the most expensive aviary ever gathered together in this city. New York will have the best and she pays for it without stint or grumble.

What a wonderful list are now on the payroll of the Metropolitan! Here it is, so far as the principal names are concerned.

Soprano—Mme. Melba, Mme. Lillian Russell, Mme. Frances Bayly, Mme. Von Januschowsky, Mme. Marie Van de Weyer, Mme. Lola Beeth, Mme. Mathilde Bauermeister, Mme. Sofia Traubman, Mme. Marie Kugel and Mme. Emma Calvé.

Mezzo-soprano and contralto—Mme. Marie Brans, Mme. Clara Hunt, Mme. Sofia Scalchi, Mme. Eugenia Mantelli, Mme. Aurelia Ketter and Mme. Rosa Oltika.

Tenor—Sig. Giuseppe Cremonini, Mr. Lloyd Aubigne, M. Luber, Sig. Roberto Vanni, M. G. Mangione, Herr Otto Mirasol, Herr Adolph Altmann and Mr. Jean Reszke.

Baritone—Sig. Giuseppe Karchmann, Sig. Carlope, Sig. Giuseppe Campanari, Sig. Vachetti, M. Maurilio de Vries, Sig. Ancona, August Livermann and Mr. Victor Maurel.

Bassos—Sig. Armand, Sig. Cernusco, Sig. Castellary, Sig. Viviani, M. Pignatelli and M. Edouard de Reszke.

Among the new recruits are Marie Engle, who has been heard in Baltimore and Washington, a week in Philadelphia and Cincinnati, two weeks in Chicago and a week in St. Louis. The company will then return to New York for the usual supplementary season of two weeks, which will end here on April 25.

Some of the novelties promised are three new productions and the appearance of some of the favorites of last season in new roles. Massenet's "Le Cid" will be presented in French for the first time here. "La Navarraise," a short work written by Massenet for the Metropolitan, will be introduced, as well as "La Vivandière," by R. Godard. Much is promised for "Le Cid," and the company has been given here before. The new production of "La Navarraise" is a short work written by Massenet for the Metropolitan, which sources will permit. "Die Meistersinger" and "Lohengrin" will be given in both German and Italian.

The prospectus of the season announces that the repertoire will be selected from thirty-seven operas, of which only three—"Le Cid," "La Navarraise" and "Die Meistersinger"—are novelties here. Wagner is represented by six operas, Massenet by four, Gounod, Verdi, Puccini, Bizet, Debussy, each, Donizetti, Mozart and Rossini by two each, and the other composers are Rameau, Gluck, Meyerbeer, Bellini, A. Thomas, Leoncavallo, Delibes, Pizzetti, Gluck, Boito and R. Godard. The new operas may be added later in the season.

It is pleasant to know that one of the most pleasing, perhaps the most distinguished, newcomers of the galaxy of singers which opened the opera season here last week, is an American born woman. Frances Bayly, who won a most enthusiastic reception Monday night as Juliette, was born in the United States. Though taken to Australia when only a child, she has since her birthplace only by tradition until the present time, when she has returned to the vivacity inherited from her French mother. The young prima donna seems very like a miniature edition of Marie Van de Weyer.

Her eyes are dark blue, almost to black; her hair is a rich brown, and she has a most charming smile and a lovely complexion. She is a most charming personality that is sure to get her a public here.

Her parents were born in New Orleans and she was born in San Francisco. Her mother was her teacher in singing until she was twelve years of age. Her father, a Frenchman, lived all his life in Melbourne, Australia, and she has since reaped rich laurels in St. Petersburg, Moscow, Warsaw, Berlin, Monte Carlo, England, and Vienna.

Her debut at Paris at the Opera Comique, where she was the first prize in her specialty, was a success. She is also very popular in "La Traviata," as well as "Mme. Butterfly," and "The Bohemians."

She expressed it, that she cried during the second and fourth acts. For two months and two weeks she sang "La Traviata" at the Opera Comique. Deadness is another favorite role with her and for it she has received the very highest praise. With unaffected naturalness the prima donna speaks of her favorable impressions in America and of her delight in making acquaintance with the land of her birth.

London has had found quite plenty, so that the change to the bright sunshine and blue sky of New York was a grateful contrast. She is very curious to see other of the great American cities and hopes they will be as pleased with her as she feels sure she will be with them. Mrs. Bayly seems a delightful character, free from the usual petty jealousies so common to the profession. Her most prominent feature was given to her most enthusiastic praises and so naturally as to impress one with the belief that they were entirely sincere.

Mrs. Georgine von Januschowsky, one of the soprano, is the daughter of an Austrian officer, and made her first appearance on the stage at the Metropolitan. Owing to her possession of a good voice she was allowed to sing small roles in operas when she was first engaged. She has since filled short engagements at Stuttgart, Freiburg and Graz, and was engaged at the Metropolitan for the first time in 1890 when she was the principal contralto at Leipzig, and she came to America to join the German theater company here, and her career in this country has been a most successful one.

Januschowsky returned to Vienna in 1892, and there secured an engagement at the Grand House. She first sang the Austrian operas roles under Dr. Hans Richter of Vienna. Mrs. Januschowsky has been singing contralto roles of 45 comic operas, 14 roles in opera comique and 22 and opera roles in all. She is an excellent singer and a painstaking artist. Her work is strongly re-enforced by the soprano.

Mrs. Bayly, who is a soprano, studied in New York under Mrs. Maria Cella, and made her debut in San Francisco in the "Don Giovanni" in 1893. In 1894 she

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went to London, where she made her debut under the management of Augustus Harris as the Queen in "The Huguenots." She afterwards appeared as Adalgisa in "Norma" and Cherubino in "Le Nozze di Figaro." She sang for a brief season at the Metropolitan, and then returned to London, and then returned to this country. She made her first appearance on the Metropolitan stage in "Rigoletto," Marguerite in "Faust," the Queen in "Les Huguenots," the Queen in "The Magic Flute," Juliette in "Romeo and Juliette," and Elizabeth in "Tannhauser."

Among the tenors there are two new men, Sig. Giuseppe Cremonini and Herr Adolph Altmann. Cremonini is young and an Italian. He made his first appearance on the Metropolitan stage in the Turin Opera House in "Rigoletto," Marguerite in "Faust," the Queen in "Les Huguenots," the Queen in "The Magic Flute," Juliette in "Romeo and Juliette," and Elizabeth in "Tannhauser."

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VON GONTARD'S ALL RIGHT.

So Says Miss Clara Hazel Busch, and She Is His Fiancee.

STILL HE IS NOT A COUNT.

By All Accounts, However, He Deserves the Hand of the Brewer's Beautiful Daughter.

Paul von Gontard is no Count. Every one appears to believe he is, but he isn't.

He is the gentleman who is to wed Miss Clara Hazel Busch, daughter of Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer, and in English he is plain "mister," although he could be called "baron," if he wanted to.

Why any one who has heard of the approaching nuptials refers to Mr. Gontard as "the Count," Miss Busch declares she can not fathom. But Count or no Count, Miss Busch thinks a great deal of him, and says it makes no difference to her whether Mr. Gontard is of the nobility or not. It is all right.

Every one will admit who has seen the charming Miss Busch, with her petite figure, beautiful golden hair and blue eyes, that Mr. Gontard will soon be all right, whether he is or not.

There is just enough of romance too, about the affair to cause every eye to follow with Mr. Gontard. The prospective bridegroom is a man of noble bearing, but he never uses it. He even objects to the prefix "mister" to his own name, and he is plain "mister" Gontard, in America. "Mister" is good enough for him.

Mr. Gontard is a foreigner, and the American admirers of Miss Busch are very "wary" at that, thinking that the young lady might have chosen from her compatriots.

In the town of Hagen, Westphalia, Germany, which has some 100,000 inhabitants, Mr. Gontard is practically the leading citizen. He is a man of great wealth, and commands an enormous salary as secretary of the Hagen-Hueske Iron Foundry, in which he is interested.

He is a man of brains and Miss Busch, which has some pride that he is also a man of brains. The photograph of the gentleman, which she showed a Post-Dispatch reporter but would not let him see, has a hand because it is the only one that has been taken of him. It is a handsome man, and then his appearance will speak for itself.

"Six feet tall, broad shouldered, and quite dark," was Miss Busch's brief but vivid description of him.

It is quite evident that unlike the matches of some of the American heiresses there is a big dash of the tender passion in this one.

It was almost a case of love at first sight. Two years ago, when he was in St. Louis, he saw Miss Clara Hazel Busch, and he fell in love with her. He came about through the European tour taken by the family of the late Mr. Joseph Schneider, the well known brewer, when every one in St. Louis remembers as "Schneider's Garden." The Schneider and the Buschs are close friends and when the tour was planned, it was known that Miss Clara Busch should be of the party.

Through the aid of the party traveled and as far east as Greece and Turkey. At Constantinople, she brought Miss Busch and Mr. Gontard together. The two were stopping at the same hotel, and when Miss Clara Busch saw Mr. Gontard, she fell in love with him. "I can't remember the name of the ship," said Miss Busch, "but I am sure Mr. Gontard would."

Of course, there were moonlight evenings on the upper deck; companionable strolls, and all that, but such things are sacred. However, memories of the moonlight evenings appeared to be at the resort they visited, and before long a wedding was being planned. Mr. Gontard and Miss Busch were more than friends, they were lovers.

The wedding was held at the Hotel de Ville, in St. Louis, and was a magnificent affair. The wedding was held at the Hotel de Ville, in St. Louis, and was a magnificent affair. The wedding was held at the Hotel de Ville, in St. Louis, and was a magnificent affair.

When Mr. Gontard arrived in St. Louis, he was met by a large number of friends. He was met by a large number of friends. He was met by a large number of friends.

WANTED MEDICINE.

James Winters Came All the Way From Denver to Get It.

James Winters came all the way from Denver to be accounted for his presence "in our midst" when arraigned in the First District Police Court.

The remedy he took for his physical troubles was whisky. There was a very good reason for this, and it was not that he was a drunkard, but that he was a man of great wealth, and he was a man of great wealth.

Winters, however, had not become dissipated under the influence of the medicine, so a \$5 fine was stayed.

FOUGHT ON 'CHANGE.

Broker Ben Barnes and a Book Agent Mix Matters.

Ben Barnes, the stockbroker, objects to Ben Barnes, and when one invaded the floor of the Merchants' Exchange restaurant and asked him to buy a book he replied tartly: "The book agent talked back and Mr. Barnes led with his right. The book agent was good and quiet, and the book agent was good and quiet."

No one was hurt and some of the younger brokers were disposed to secure, but the older men objected and the serious business of the day was resumed.

New St. Louis Corporation.

Special in The Post-Dispatch.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 24.—The Secretary of State today chartered the Farnsworth Real Estate Co. of St. Louis, capital, \$100,000. Incorporated—J. B. Farnsworth, R. N. Blomson and J. B. Johnson.

The Moore Implement Co. of Illinois filed a petition for incorporation in this State at Kansas City with a capital of \$250,000.

Only at the E. J. J. Jewelry Co., Olive and Sixth streets, can you have your monogram artistically engraved on steel pens, and one pound of very fine Real Irish Linen, and any envelope stamped in St. Louis, Mo., November 24, 1895.

THE LAW IGNORED.

Gas Meters Are Not Tested as the Statutes Require.

For a number of years the LaCade Gas Light Co. has been allowed to violate an ordinance, which, if enforced, would have saved thousands of dollars to the residents of St. Louis. The great corporation, which practically has the city by the throat, as matters stand, is using meters which have never been tested, while an ordinance exists which provides that every meter before being placed in use must first be examined, stamped and sealed by the Supervisor of City Lighting. The ordinance has been strictly ignored during the twenty years it has been in existence, and as a consequence the LaCade people have been enabled to fust any old meter upon its patrons.

When the attention of A. J. O'Reilly, Supervisor of City Lighting, was called to the matter he said: "So far as I know, new meters have never been examined, sealed and stamped. The gas company has been allowed to go on all these years putting in any kind of meters it saw fit and no one has tested them to see if they were accurate. This has probably cost the customers many thousands of dollars for gas that was never burned."

The discovery of the fact that this ordinance has been violated all these years is due to William O'Connell, Secretary of the City Council. He became disgusted some time ago with the service he was receiving at his house from the LaCade Gas Light Co. and in going over the ordinance he found that one had been in existence for over twenty years, and that it provided that every meter placed in use should be tested every year, but that when called upon by a consumer the Supervisor of City Lighting should seal the meter as to the correctness of its measurement.

The quality of gas is now tested every day, but for over twenty years not a meter in the city has been examined by a city official. Such examinations were made until the LaCade Gas Light Co. was incorporated. The Superintendent of Streets, requested the Bureau of Public Improvements to discontinue the practice until such time as certain litigation then in progress should be settled by the courts. But why this quest was made remains a mystery, but it was so peculiar that O'Reilly wrote to the Mayor asking for instructions. The Mayor referred the matter to City Counselor Marshall, who replied: "I have no objection to the belief that the ordinance is legal. The belief is that in delivering this opinion Mr. Marshall has overlooked the fact that the ordinance has been resurrected by Secretary O'Connell."

The reason I asked for the opinion is interesting in itself," said O'Reilly, "prior to the date of my letter in 1888, we had been inspecting meters whenever called upon to do so, and an order to stop was given under the law. For some reason best known to himself, O'Connell, resurrected the ordinance, and the inspection cease until some litigation then pending was settled. I was not sure that I had a right to issue to make inspections and I wrote for an opinion accordingly. Mr. Marshall, to my utter surprise, came back with the reply that he thought there was no law requiring the inspection. I can only account for it on the theory that he overlooked the old ordinance, which is very clear and to the point."

FIVE FOR MURDER.

Indictments Returned by the Grand Jury for November.

The November Grand Jury submitted its final report yesterday at noon. There are seventy-six indictments and eight ignored bills. No indictments were held out. The report had been submitted Judge Edmunds discharged the jury. In their report the jury said that the city had been visited with vermin. A recommendation is made that the city should have a bath at least once a week, and that every bit of clothing in the jail be regularly fumigated. The Grand Jury also recommended that a new Criminal Court be recommended. The report is a finding of new court room has been recommended. The report is a finding of new court room has been recommended.

Following are the indictments: Baragel, colored; Moses Carter, C. Bettendorfer, Chas. Mankard and Henry Klock.

Murder, second degree—Carrie Hardin and James Murray.

Embezzlement—Jacob Hattiger.

Embezzlement and forgery—Frederick L. Avery.

Disseminating case under corrupt agreement—Louis A. Maginias.

Criminal assault—George Pucha, Richard Pucha and John Pucha.

Escaping from custody of Sheriff—James P. Koberly, first degree—Harry Collier, Herbert Cornwell, Edward Wilson, C. W. Wilson.

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BORROWED MONEY FROM THE WIDOW.

Capt. Tom Hunt's Transactions With Mrs. McCue.

SHE IS OUT FOR A FIGHT.

The Insurance Companies Will Have Trouble Unless They Pay the \$35,000 She Claims.

The dashing widow McCue will give the insurance companies a fight before she relinquishes her claim on the life insurance of Capt. Tom Hunt.

Mrs. Ada Wilson McCue and Capt. Hunt first met about two years ago, when he came here from Dakota. She was a Southern and fond of the ladies, and a grandson of Jedediah Hunt of Mississippi, who left \$50,000 to Oakland College. She was and is a handsome widow and they became friends. When he died suddenly the insurance companies in which he carried \$35,000 withheld payment and claimed that death was too opportune and that Mrs. McCue didn't have an insurable interest of \$35,000 in his life.

The claims of the insurance companies and the beneficiaries of Hunt's estate are contradictory on every point and if the companies refuse to pay the policies and the beneficiaries refuse to accept one of the greatest insurance cases of the decade, the contest will center around the claim of Mrs. McCue to \$35,000 of the total amount which was assigned to her by Hunt before his death.

The City Council has been asked to pass a resolution in support of Mrs. McCue's claim. The resolution is a request that the insurance companies be required to pay the \$35,000 to Mrs. McCue. The resolution is a request that the insurance companies be required to pay the \$35,000 to Mrs. McCue.

Will This Charge Go?

Jailer Wagner Kats Chickens and Charges Them Up as Beef.

"Butch" Wagner, by the grace of Mayor Wehrhage Jailer of the City of St. Louis, is in a fair way to lose his political head. A sharp stick for eating chickens at the expense of the municipality, and it is probable that there will be some talk husting to square the thing. Mr. Wagner is not inclined to let anything stand in the way of his duty, as he sees it, and the chickens are the property of the city.

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TO MAKE THEIR FORTUNES.

Three St. Louis Society Men Leave for Mexico.

They are Leslie Moffitt of 407 Washington boulevard, son of the real estate dealer of that name; Robert E. Scott of 233 Delmar boulevard, son of Mr. Scott of the Scott, Force & Goodrich Hat Co., and Wm. Halsey, the chemist.

They took only enough money to purchase 20 acres of land and to pay for labor, and each expects to return to the city five years hence with a fortune. All three of the young men held good positions in the city and moved in the best society.

Wm. Halsey was the originator of the scheme. Three months ago he acquainted Messrs. Scott and Moffitt, warm friends, with his plans, and the three decided they would go. It was decided to carry out their plan in a business-like way. An agreement was drawn up between them, each pledging himself to remain in Mexico at least one year, and if they failed to do so, to pay the other two the amount of their expenses.

Arrangements were made with an Englishman named Phillips in the City of Mexico to act as guide. Armed with letters of introduction from the three, they set out for Mexico. From there they will travel south through the coffee lands to Oaxaca. There they will settle, and the three will be engaged in the coffee business. The natives will be employed to do the work and the three will be engaged in the coffee business.

It is probable that they will locate on the Tonto River, in the State of Oaxaca. A ball at the Poor-house, dinner at the House of Refuge, a day at the Workhouse and just plain thanks at the City and Female Hospitals. This is the programme for Thanksgiving Day at the City Institution.

At the Poor-house, where there was a large number of hard luck stories, papers with crutches, wooden legs and a-armed crutches, were distributed. The inmates of the Poor-house were given a large ball for fun last Thursday night. Superintendent Overbeck has fitted up a large hall for the purpose of giving a large ball for fun last Thursday night.

Two hundred and eighty-eight boys and girls will feast on turkey at the House of Refuge. The inmates of the House of Refuge will be given a large ball for fun last Thursday night. Superintendent Overbeck has fitted up a large hall for the purpose of giving a large ball for fun last Thursday night.

At the station they gave the names of Collins and Hobbing. Tommy was minus his hat and the inmates of the House of Refuge were given a large ball for fun last Thursday night. Superintendent Overbeck has fitted up a large hall for the purpose of giving a large ball for fun last Thursday night.

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Market—Items of Interest.

The movement of corn to market continues very much smaller than any one thought some time ago could be the case near the close of Nov. with one of the largest crops on record raised. Not alone are receipts surprisingly small, but of late

	This Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Visible	3,608,587	3,508,444	3,508,267
Of which Am'n.....	3,573,267	3,156,344	3,036,187
Drop in sight.....	3,249,478	3,060,525	4,006,512
in sight dur'g wk..	380,000	341,419	60,000

FRUITS.
APPLES—Quiet, but steady. Choice fruit in demand; poor fruit dull. Choice to fancy, \$2.25-\$2.50; 1st quality, \$1.75-\$2.00; 2nd quality, \$1.25-\$1.50; soft, \$1.00-\$1.25; green, \$1.00-\$1.25; red, \$1.00-\$1.25; yellow, \$1.00-\$1.25.
GRAPE—Quiet. Concord, \$1.00-\$1.25 per 9-lb basket; other varieties, \$1.00-\$1.25.

Gold Reserve.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 22.—To-day's statement of the condition of the Treasury: Available cash balances, \$177,794,922; gold reserve, \$95,325,445.

to the Situation Here.

Cor. pfd.... 15%	T.St. L. & K. C. 7
J. Cent.....16%	T.St.L. & K.C.pfd 15
& W. pfd.... 10%	Southern 10%
th Amer Co. 4%	South. pfd 25%
th Pac 4	Tobacco 25%
P. pfd..... 15%	Tobacco pfd 15%

These Certificates are particularly desirable

able for parties having surplus or idle

attention at Manchester road and Pains
street at noon Saturday by climbing tele-
graph poles, singing and shouting, and then
coming down and trying to wrestle with a
railroad tie. The police took him to the
City Hospital for observation.

any time before the sale by application to the
manager of his office, room 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 1127, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1135, 1136, 1137, 1138, 1139, 1140, 1141, 1142, 1143, 1144, 1145, 1146, 1147, 1148, 1149, 1150, 1151, 1152, 1153, 1154, 1155, 1156, 1157, 1158, 1159, 1160, 1161, 1162, 1163, 1164, 1165, 1166, 1167, 1168, 1169, 1170, 1171, 1172, 1173, 1174, 1175, 1176, 1177, 1178, 1179, 1180, 1181, 1182, 1183, 1184, 1185, 1186, 1187, 1188, 1189, 1190, 1191, 1192, 1193, 1194, 1195, 1196, 1197, 1198, 1199, 1200, 1201, 1202, 1203, 1204, 1205, 1206, 1207, 1208, 1209, 1210, 1211, 1212, 1213, 1214, 1215, 1216, 1217, 1218, 1219, 1220, 1221, 1222, 1223, 1224, 1225, 1226, 1227, 1228, 1229, 1230, 1231, 1232, 1233, 1234, 1235, 1236, 1237, 1238, 1239, 1240, 1241, 1242, 1243, 1244, 1245, 1246, 1247, 1248, 1249, 1250, 1251, 1252, 1253, 1254, 1255, 1256, 1257, 1258, 1259, 1260, 1261, 1262, 1263, 1264, 1265, 1266, 1267, 1268, 1269, 1270, 1271, 1272, 1273, 1274, 1275, 1276, 1277, 1278, 1279, 1280, 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284, 1285, 1286, 1287, 1288, 1289, 1290, 1291, 1292, 1293, 1294, 1295, 1296, 1297, 1298, 1299, 1300, 1301, 1302, 1303, 1304, 1305, 1306, 1307, 1308, 1309, 1310, 1311, 1312, 1313, 1314, 1315, 1316, 1317, 1318, 1319, 1320, 1321, 1322, 1323, 1324, 1325, 1326, 1327, 1328, 1329, 1330, 1331, 1332, 1333, 1334, 1335, 1336, 1337, 1338, 1339, 1340, 1341, 1342, 1343, 1344, 1345, 1346, 1347, 1348, 1349, 1350, 1351, 1352, 1353, 1354, 1355, 1356, 1357, 1358, 1359, 1360, 1361, 1362, 1363, 1364, 1365, 1366, 1367, 1368, 1369, 1370, 1371, 1372, 1373, 1374, 1375, 1376, 1377, 1378, 1379, 1380, 1381, 1382, 1383, 1384, 1385, 1386, 1387, 1388, 1389, 1390, 1391, 1392, 1393, 1394, 1395, 1396, 1397, 1398, 1399, 1400, 1401, 1402, 1403, 1404, 1405, 1406, 1407, 1408, 1409, 1410, 1411, 1412, 1413, 1414, 1415, 1416, 1417, 1418, 1419, 1420, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1424, 1425, 1426, 1427, 1428, 1429, 1430, 1431, 1432, 1433, 1434, 1435, 1436, 1437, 1438, 1439, 1440, 1441, 1442, 1443, 1444, 1445, 1446, 1447, 1448, 1449, 1450, 1451, 1452, 1453, 1454, 1455, 1456, 1457, 1458, 1459, 1460, 1461, 1462, 1463, 1464, 1465, 1466, 1467, 1468, 1469, 1470, 1471, 1472, 1473, 1474, 1475, 1476, 1477, 1478, 1479, 1480, 1481, 1482, 1483, 1484, 1485, 1486, 1487, 1488, 1489, 1490, 1491, 1492, 1493, 1494, 1495, 1496, 1497, 1498, 1499, 1500, 1501, 1502, 1503, 1504, 1505, 1506, 1507, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511, 1512, 1513, 1514, 1515, 1516, 1517, 1518, 1519, 1520, 1521, 1522, 1523, 1524, 1525, 1526, 1527, 1528, 1529, 1530, 1531, 1532, 1533, 1534, 1535, 1536, 1537, 1538, 1539, 1540, 1541, 1542, 1543, 1544, 1545, 1546, 1547, 1548, 1549, 1550, 1551, 1552, 1553, 1554, 1555, 1556, 1557, 1558, 1559, 1560, 1561, 1562, 1563, 1564, 1565, 1566, 1567, 1568, 1569, 1570, 1571, 1572, 1573, 1574, 1575, 1576, 1577, 1578, 1579, 1580, 1581, 1582, 1583, 1584, 1585, 1586, 1587, 1588, 1589, 1590, 1591, 1592, 1593, 1594, 1595, 1596, 1597, 1598, 1599, 1600, 1601, 1602, 1603, 1604, 1605, 1606, 1607, 1608, 1609, 1610, 1611, 1612, 1613, 1614, 1615, 1616, 1617, 1618, 1619, 1620, 1621, 1622, 1623, 1624, 1625, 1626, 1627, 1628, 1629, 1630, 1631, 1632, 1633, 1634, 1635, 1636, 1637, 1638, 1639, 1640, 1641, 1642, 1643, 1644, 1645, 1646, 1647, 1648, 1649, 1650, 1651, 1652, 1653, 1654, 1655, 1656, 1657, 1658, 1659, 1660, 1661, 1662, 1663, 1664, 1665, 1666, 1667, 1668, 1669, 1670, 1671, 1672, 1673, 1674, 1675, 1676, 1677, 1678, 1679, 1680, 1681, 1682, 1683, 1684, 1685, 1686, 1687, 1688, 1689, 1690, 1691, 1692, 1693, 1694, 1695, 1696, 1697, 1698, 1699, 1700, 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705, 1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732, 1733, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1737, 1738, 1739, 1740, 1741, 1742, 1743, 1744, 1745, 1746, 1747, 1748, 1749, 1750, 1751, 1752, 1753, 1754, 1755, 1756, 1757, 1758, 1759, 1760, 1761, 1762, 1763, 1764, 1765, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1773, 1774, 1775, 1776, 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790, 1791, 1792, 17

WEDDING RINGS (Pure solid gold 18K).
MENARD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.
BROADWAY, COR. LOCUS
Wedding Satisfaction, Best quality.

WILL YOU HAVE A TURKEY NEXT TH

... opinion is, that this booklet was
sent for sale to save it if it were possible,
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Two
Thanksgiving
Festivals

OUR NEW SHOES.

Our prophetic buyer insisted that "mannish" shoes would capture the ladies, and he is more than right. They go wild over the new shapes, and particular women declare that for style and comfort no shoe store has ever equaled ours. Our \$2 and \$3 shoes are just as handsome as the most expensive, the stock, of course, being not quite so fine. Our most elegant shoes retail at \$5, and are very satisfactory.

THANKSGIVING DAY DISCOUNT

Siegel, Hillman & Co.
Washington & Broadway

Every Inch of Room Counts in Our Store and we Must Make a Radical Clearance This Week to Make Room for Our Holiday Stock. These Prices Will Do It.

Children's Cloak

Children's Cloak, in the latest style, sizes from 1 to 4 years old, regular price \$1.50; for Monday only, **75c**.
A sample line of Children's Cloaks in fine black and blue, made in Persian lamb and wool, made in the latest style, sizes from 1 to 4 years old, worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00, your choice for. A lot of Children's Fine Silk Caps, trimmed with ribbon roses, in red, navy blue, brown, regular price \$1.50; for Monday only, **65c**.
Fascinators. A lot of hand-made fascinators, in white and black and all colors, regular price \$1; for Monday only, **39c**.
Underskirts. Latest Mottos Understitch, trimmed in fine plaiting and colored silk stitching, regular price \$1.50; for Monday only, **59c**.

Millinery.

Grand Thanksgiving Display and Special Sale of High-Class Millinery at Moderate Prices.



Trimmed Hats.

Special Stylishly Trimmed Hats, worth \$5, at **\$2.25**

Handsomely Trimmed Hats, worth \$7, at **\$3.50**

Exquisitely Trimmed Hats, beautifully made, worth \$10, at **\$5.00**

Pattern Hats and Bonnets.

Seventy-five of the most beautiful creations of best known Paris and London Milliners will be

On Exhibition and Sale To-Morrow.

Our Great Sale of Untrimmed Hats

Will continue Monday, and we will have on sale, as long as they last:

75c Dress Shapes **5c**
for
\$1.00 Sailors **23c**

Ostrich Feather Boas.

150 Fine Ostrich Feather Boas, worth \$12.50, at **\$9.00**
75 superior quality, worth \$20, at **\$14.75**

Imported Wraps and Costumes.



Jackets.

Extra quality Kersey Jackets, full sleeve and box front, which is usually sold at \$2.50; all colors and sizes; at **\$2.95**

Fine Beaver Jackets, in latest shape, full sleeves, ripple back and English box front; usually sold at **\$4.49**

Handsome Scotch Mixed Tweed Jackets, with full front, large sleeves and velvet collar; very small; usually worth \$10.00; at **\$5.45**

Chinchilla Jackets, sensible for cold weather; navy and black, with all the new full sleeves; box front, etc.; have been sold usually at **\$6.98**

A handsome Boucle Cheviot Jacket, with the four-button box front effect; a most dressy garment, lined throughout with silk and usually sold at **\$8.48**

Separate Skirts.

Separate Skirts, a fine broadcloth or worsted skirt, extra full width, lined throughout; usually sold at **\$2.45**

An all-wool Plaided Waist, in a beautiful new box front, mandarin sleeve and ripple back, lined with silk; materials used are Scotch tweeds, serges and cloths, worth from \$12.00 to \$15.00; Monday at **98c**

We have over 100 All-Silk Velour Capes, heavily trimmed in Cut Jet, and Thibet, Lamb, Beaver, Marten, Lynx or Fox Fur—all exclusive designs—no two alike, and imported direct from Paris. For ladies who wish an elegant French Wrap we will make a material reduction from the original prices. Some of the values run up to \$150, but we will sell them at prices ranging from **\$25 to \$50**

Also an exquisite line of Genuine Paris-made Jackets and Costumes which we will push this week at prices which will tempt you. We will sell some of them as low as **\$20**, and up to **\$40** for goods that sell in New York for \$75 to \$100. This is a special offer for only a few days. No local customer can equal them in style or tone.

Our fur leader is a genuine Astrachan Fur Cape, 20 inches long, extra full sweep and broad storm collar; well worth \$20.00; at **\$9.98**

A genuine French Coney Fur Cape, full 27 inches long and 10-inch sweep to bottom; this cape usually **\$6.98**

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A Great Dress Goods

And Silk Offering...

For Monday

40 pieces 38-inch All-Wool Novelty Checked Dress Goods, worth 40c, at **22c**
20 pieces 38-inch Fancy Plaid Woolen Boucles, worth 35c, for **19c**
48-inch All-Wool Black Henriettes, worth 40c, at **29c**
38-inch French All-Wool Black Serges, worth 35c, for **23c**
40-inch Black Storm Serges, worth 60c, for **39c**
42-inch Black All-Wool French Crepons, sold everywhere at \$1.00, for **49c**
Cloakings.
54-inch Black Fine Astrachan Cloakings, sold everywhere at \$3.00, for **\$2.00**
32-inch Black Velour De Nord for Capes, Jackets, etc., worth \$3.00, for **\$1.98**
Imported Novelty Dress Goods.
25 pieces 40-inch All-Wool Imported Novelty Plaids, worth \$1.25, for **68c**
\$2.00 54-inch handsome Boucle Dress Goods, the prettiest line in St. Louis, for **\$1.00**
50 pieces French Broadcloth, 54-inch wide, worth \$1.98, for **\$1.25**

Silks.
\$1.25 32-inch Silk Crapes, in the prevailing shades **58c**
\$1.50 26-inch Black Satin Brocade **90c**

Fur and Trimming Department.
1 Lot of assorted kinds of fine FUR MUFFS, some worth as high as \$3.50, to close out **79c**
500 Children's Fur Sets, in White Coney, worth \$1.50, to close out at **59c**
350 Fine Fur Boas, assorted sizes and qualities, worth up to \$5.00, your choice at **99c**
Gray Angora Fur Trimmings, worth 50c, at **19c**
\$1.00 Seal Fur Trimmings at **25c**
250 yds of fine Fur Tails, regular price \$1.50, for **46c**
\$1.50 Seal Fur Trimmings, at **37c**
250 yards Fur Band Edgings, in Coney and Seal, worth 75c, at **25c**
Blue Angora Fur Trimmings, worth 75c, for **25c**

Lining Department.
Fiber Ramie, as good as the best 50c, for **15c**
Best Kid Cambray, full standard size cloth, colored **3c**
Imitation Hair Cloth **4c**
10c **9c**

Blankets.
120 pair 11-4 White Blankets; worth \$1.50; for **87c**
120 pair 11-4 extra heavy White Blankets; worth \$1.50; for **\$1.39**
250 yards California Blankets, extra heavy and fine quality, with a rich Jacquard border, **\$2.98**

Just Received, 460 Bed Comforts.
This is the greatest bargain we have offered this season:
At 99c 69c 99c \$1.69 \$2.25
worth \$1.50 \$1.25 \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.50

Jewelry and Leather Goods.
39c Will buy Solid Sterling Silver Hair Ornaments worth \$1.50; Will buy a good Pearl Handle Pen worth 50c
39c Will buy Gold Set Ring of Top-quality, Ruby or Emerald worth \$1.50
Real Seal Alligator or Lizard Skin Combination Pockets; **42c**
Child's Pockbook, with silver trimmings, worth 50c; for **19c**

Trimmings.
20 Samples of Fine Jet Garnitures, real value \$2.50 to \$5.00; **\$1.49**
Monday **11c**
20 pieces Handsome Beaded Trimmings, sold everywhere at 50c; **11c**
Monday **11c**
10 pieces 10c; Monday **14c**
where at 10c; Monday **79c**
20 Samples Fine Jet Garnitures, worth \$2.50; **\$1.19**
Monday **11c**

Men's Furnishings.
Men's Pure Wool Cambray Hair Shirts and Drawers; worth \$1.50; for **98c**
20 dozen 25c's Plain and Fancy Cotton Lined Shirts, the very latest patterns, some as old as those at \$1.50; Monday only **79c**
Men's All-wool Sweaters; worth \$1.50; for **89c**

Our New Glove Department.

100 dozen Black, Brown and Tan 4-Button Kid Gloves; **59c**
worth \$1.00; for
50 dozen 4-Button and 5-Button and Splendid Kid Gloves; small sizes only; regular price \$2.00; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **75c**
120 dozen Ladies' 4-Button and 5-Button French Kid Gloves in Black and the prevailing street shades, worth \$1.50; tried and warranted, **\$1.00**

Handkerchiefs.

200 dozen Men's Pure Linen Hand-Embroidered Initial Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **16c**
200 dozen Men's Initial Handkerchiefs; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **10c**
200 dozen Men's fancy bordered hemstitched Handkerchiefs; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **4c**
200 dozen Ladies' Scallop and Hand-Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs; worth 25c; for **9c**
200 dozen Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; value effect; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **15c**

Hosiery Department.

100 dozen Ladies' Fleece-lined Balbriggan Hosiery; **21c**
120 dozen Ladies' Fine Black Silk-Fleece Hosiery, with white feet and all black; sold elsewhere at 25c; at **27c**
150 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hosiery; sold elsewhere at 10c; at **6c**
200 Men's Imported Fine Cashmere Hosiery; **33c**
Ladies' Fine Imported Cashmere Rib and Plain Hosiery at **49c**

Art Department.

20 fancy Head Rats **10c**
200 Fancy Bordered **21c**
200 Felt School Bags, fancy lined, with Nickel-Plated Buckles, for **39c**
200 Fancy Tinted Honey Comb Covers for the entire stock of Richardson Silk Co. Ball Knitting Silk from of Japan, Phillips & Co.
150 dozen Fine Art, manufactured by Richardson Silk Co., per ball **5c**

Laces.

One lot of Fancy Black Bourdon Laces; worth \$1.00; for **15c**

Knit Underwear.

100 dozen Ladies' Fleece-lined Balbriggan Vests and Pants; **48c**
50 dozen Ladies' Natural Wool Vests and Pants; sold elsewhere at 10c; for **89c**
150 Ladies' Fine Camel's Hair Vests and Pants, for **99c**

Upholstery Department.

50 Chinese Fur Rugs in white, gray and fawn colors; sold every where at \$2.50; for **\$1.85**
20 dozen Chenille Table Covers for center tables, fringed all around; sold elsewhere at 25c; for **29c**
3 yards long Lace Curtains, taped ends worth \$1; **50c**
20 dozen Fringed Window Shades on Patent Spring Rollers, all complete; sold elsewhere at 25c; for **18c**
100 pair Fine Double Lace Curtains, 5 1/2 yards long; sold elsewhere at \$1; for **\$1.23**
Fancy Colored Curtain Rods; **45c**
20 pieces of Plain and Figured Silkoline, in very handsome designs, 10c, 15c and 20c; **10c**
7 pieces of Handmade "Mantle" Drapes; worth \$1.75; for **97c**

Japanese Rugs.

In all sizes and colors, from and upwards. **48c**

Veiling.

500 yards Double Width Fancy Silk Tuxedo Veilings, worth 20c; one yard sells at each; **10c**
20 Black Silk Chenille Dotted and Plain Veils, cut in one yard lengths; sold elsewhere at 10c; **25c**

Notions.

100 doz. Clark's O.N.T. White they **2c**
50 yards long Lian Corset Laces **1c**
1 doz. Safety Pins **1c**
Darning Cotton **1c**
100 Black Spool Silk **2c**
Wholesale Casing 2c
300 Gimpers **3c**
White and Colored Feather Stitches **4c**
Stocking Pins **4c**
4 doz. Hair Velveteen **10c**
Decorated Cotton **10c**
Decorated Silk Curting Irons **3c**
Gon's Braid, all colors **3c**
Large size Wools **3c**

12 Cases of Bed Spreads.

75c Crochet Spreads, **39c**
150 24-4 handsome Bedspreads, Martellie Patterns, for **98c**
100 extra size Crochet Bedspreads, pretty patterns, **62c**
100 24-4 extra heavy Bedspreads, Martellie Patterns, **\$1.12**
100 handsome Martellie Bedspreads, in magnificent patterns; worth \$2.50; at **\$2.50**
3 1/2 yards long Hemstitched, with drawn work sets, and 15 napkins to match; worth \$1.00; for **\$3.00**
3 1/2 yards long very fine Satin Damask Table Cloth, hemstitched drawwork, with 15 napkins to match; worth \$1.00; for **\$10.00**
3 yards long Double Satin Damask Fringed Table Linen Sets, 12 napkins to match; sold elsewhere **\$2.98**
60 Fine Linen Fringed and Hemstitched Towels, hanging in price from 5c and upwards.
60-inch Turkey Red Table Damask; sold elsewhere at 50c; **19c**

Towelings.

60 pieces 16-inch Linen Twilled Fancy Bordered Toweling; **45c**
60 pieces 17-inch fine Bleached Linen Twilled Crash, fancy borders; sold elsewhere at 50c; for **64c**
60 pieces 18-inch Twilled Toweling; our price **34c**
Turkish Toweling at 1c and upwards.

China, Glass, Lamp and Silverware Dept.

Genuine Brass Onyx Table (8-8 onyx), bent legs, **\$3.48**
always sold for less than \$6.50, at **\$3.48**
Silver-Plated Butter Knife and Sugar Shell (3 pieces in a box); never sold for less than **48c**
Onyx's Set of three pieces (knives, fork and spoon); worth 50c, at **16c**
A handsome 12-piece Chamber Set, always sold for \$1.50; our price **\$3.48**
A 6-piece set, consisting of Plate, Cup and Saucer, always sold for 20c, at **10c**

THANKSGIVING SALE OF LINENS.

Just Received from New York over **\$10,000** worth of **FINE LINENS, BED SPREADS, Etc.**

The surplus stock of an importer and jobber, which we bought for **68c On The Dollar.**

We put them on Sale **MONDAY MORNING at 9 o'Clock,**

With 12 extra salespeople.

60 pieces of Pure Irish Table Linen; sold elsewhere at 50c; for **12c**

60-inch extra heavy German Table Linen; sold elsewhere at 50c; for **33c**

10 pieces 3 yards wide Bleached and unbleached very handsome Table Damask; well worth \$1.00 yard; for this sale **62c**

20 pieces of Satin Damask Table Linen, 60 inches wide; worth 50c; for this sale **50c**

200 dozen of the fine Linen Towels; worth 50c; at **19c**

10 Cases of Turkish Towels.

12x21 4c 12x21 9c 12x21 12c 12x21 15c 12x21 18c 12x21 21c 12x21 24c 12x21 27c 12x21 30c 12x21 33c 12x21 36c 12x21 39c 12x21 42c 12x21 45c 12x21 48c 12x21 51c 12x21 54c 12x21 57c 12x21 60c

Some more of these Central Draft Caped Lamp, large Caped, complete, with silk shade, worth \$5.00, at **\$2.68**

Turkey Towels, in white porcelain and granite colors, **48c**

12 inch **19c** 12 inch **31c** 12 inch **48c**

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200 cakes Genuine Turkish Soap, at **3c**
Large Bottle Which Ham, worth 10c **10c**
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Large Bottle Glycerine, extra 7c **7c**

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**"PILGRIM CHURCH IS A
SPARK FROM PLYMOUTH ROCK."**

On this site First Congregational Chapel was erected. It was a brick building costing \$10,000. The lot, well known to the public by Mr. J. H. Smith's handsome gift of the site, was purchased by Mr. J. H. Smith and contributed in cash \$10,000 towards the building, and Mr. Kalma gave \$1,000. The spirit of the church was such that the building's inception seemed to be contagious, and the church was able to raise the money among its contributors. There were several such subscriptions among them these exercises, participated in by the pastors and churches of other denominations. Dr. J. H. Smith's noble added to his many benefices by presenting to the church a lot of land, 20 rods wide and 120 rods long and twenty-five feet of land adjoining the church property on Washington avenue. The church was able to purchase the construction of the new stone edifice on which the work had been done. The church was the corner stone was taken up. It was purchased without any cost and was an

On September 12, 1974, a call was given to Rev. C. L. Goodall of the South Congregational Church, New Britain, Conn. His acceptance of the call was announced on September 27. His ministry here was so significantly successful that it became a matter of national interest. He was called to a church where the church was struggling. It had enemies and opposition both from within and without, it was in a declining area, and the church in the previous year there had been more dismissions than accessions. When he took possession of the church on October 1, 1974, the first year of his pastorate there were 306 members and only 2 letters of dismission. The following year there were 320 members. During the thirteen years he served Pleasant Church there were 1,794 additions, 1,489 dismissions and 1,074 transfers. The net gain of 666 members. He found a church with difficulties with 112 members. At his death there were 1,200 members and the church was as strong as ever. He was in the ministry for 47 years before he entered the home of his Lord. He expended some \$2,000 for benevolence.

ship and congregation. Under his charge the membership has increased. On Jan. 1 the total membership was 89, but it has increased since and is now 102. His preaching has been well received, and his strength is in the attendance at services, and certainly Dr. Burnham's preaching is well received. The average attendance at the morning services is 80 and in the evening 60, though on religious nights the attendance has frequently exceeded 60. The Sabbath school, under the superintendency of J. C. Berg, has 100 scholars. The First Church owes but little of its wonderful success to the auxiliary societies without which it could not have been so successful. These include the Home Mission Association, including Home Missionary Department, Foreign Missionary Department, and the Young Ladies' Aid Society. These are all organized under the Department, which are subdivided into committees on sick, sewing, relief, employment, and other lines. The Young Ladies' Society is the 'Young Ladies' Missionary Society, Y. L. M. S., of which the church is the headquarters. An attractive feature, too, is the Parish Library of 1,000 volumes, which is well patronized. The church is

work is so active, and there are so many workers in the field, the entire world will soon be run for Christ and the work is finished. As has been the progress, two-thirds of the world's people have never yet even heard of Jesus. This world is inhabited by 3,000,000,000 human beings. The death rate of the world every year is 100,000,000. The world's population is swept into eternity thrice each century. Sixty generations have lived and died since our Lord's time, most of whom never heard of Him. There are still millions ushered into this world each year than there are conversions. The population increases above the death rate 1 per cent each decade. So that each

The Pay of Clergymen.
The statement is often made—in fact has been generally proven—that the average pay of clergymen is smaller than that of any other profession. It seems, however,

Do you tell me that there are many good men who are not Christians? That's true. But they manifestly borrow from the religion which they refuse to embrace, the very morality of which they boast.—*Carlo Martineau, D. D.*

Women's Thanksgiving Page

ST. LOUIS WOMEN

Kindly tell me what is suitable for a young lady, who is mourning, to wear as a bridesmaid, if the bride is to be clothed in dove gray?
B. A. R.

The fact that the bride is not to wear white precludes the possibility of the bridesmaid wearing it, although dead white is permitted to women in mourning. Under the circumstances, the only thing to do is to wear either lavender or pale gray, with lavender trimmings.

1. When a lady is introduced to a gentleman would it be proper for her to say "Happy to meet you, Mr. —"?
2. When a wedding present is sent may the card have any other inscription than "Compliments of the bride and groom?"
3. Should persons calling always leave their card, whether their friends are home or not?
4. It is the province of the man to express pleasure at meeting a lady, and not vice versa.
5. The card accompanying a wedding present may have any inscription the intimacy

Miss Nina O'Fallon is a musician and a member of the Young Ladies' Mandolin Club, performing upon that instrument with great skill and taste.

Mrs. Mary W. Grant is prominent among St. Louis women in church circles and educational work. She was invited recently to read a paper before the Missouri Sunday School Convention, which met last week at Hannibal.

Miss Isabel Riley must be reckoned among the most popular belles, who have been decided talent for music. She plays upon seven instruments and is a member of the Mandolin Club.

Miss Josephine Semelroth has been prominent for a number of years in Sunday School work in St. Louis. She was a delegate to the State Convention, which met recently at Sedalia, and read a very valuable paper before the association.

Mrs. Anne Johnson Semelroth, wife of Dr. Elisha Gregory, Jr., is a Miss Sadie Sells. She is a popular society belle. She is very handsome and accomplished, and has many social and literary, which she frequently exercises in private theatricals for sweet charity's sake.

Miss Rose Morris, daughter of Mr. Morris Morris, is a typical "American beauty" in appearance, and has many accomplishments, music being her specialty. She performs brilliantly on the piano, and plays the mandolin and other stringed instruments particularly well.

Miss May Simons is one of the brightest of our St. Louis girls. She is highly cultured, a great reader and thoughtful student. She is the leader of several ladies' culture clubs, one of which meets at the residence of Mrs. Ed Hoyt, and another at Mrs. Samuel Cuyler's residence.

Mrs. James Carlos Peck, nee Kittie Gross, is an extremely brilliant young woman of varied accomplishments. She is one of the most conversationalists in the city, and is noted for her "belle esprit." She greatly resembles her brother, His Grace Archbishop Gross, in appearance and manners.

Mrs. Simon Ray, who has been spending the winter months abroad, has brought back with her the largest and most beautiful collection of souvenir spoons ever brought by a foreign tourist. Every country and city of any importance visited by her is represented in this collection.

Miss Sophie Daughaday is a fine musician and plays well upon several instruments. She is a mandolin player and belongs to a very delightful mandolin club. Miss Ella Daughaday, who is quite as accomplished, has chosen the guitar for her specialty and the mandolin of the same club of delightful stringed instruments.

Mrs. Miles Sells, a remarkably handsome and gifted woman, has been prominent for a good many years in all charitable works and was one of the charter members and organizers of the Memorial Home Association. She has great literary ability and has contributed some beautiful poems and sketches to the literature of our day and city.

Miss Suley Grant Lloyd is a fine equestrian, noted for her fearlessness and grace in the saddle, and is one of the few young women who prefer equestrianism to bicycle riding. On her favorite horse, Brown, she rides every day to her favorite resort, Benton Park, and forms a pretty picture. She is also an expert on the horse.

Mrs. A. K. Vickroy deserves special mention for her wonderful executive ability, as shown in numerous business ventures, which she has carried to a successful conclusion. She has been a successful architect, and has designed quite a number of houses, and is now engaged in the construction of a large residence, which she has completed. She has also been successful in her business ventures, and is now engaged in the construction of a large residence, which she has completed. She has also been successful in her business ventures, and is now engaged in the construction of a large residence, which she has completed.



Lillie Youngbluth, Room No. 4, Columbia School.

Lillie Youngbluth is one of the brightest and most promising school girls in room No. 4 of the Columbia School. She is in the first class, and is remarkable for diligence and attention to her studies, arising from her determination to make a record on her way through the various rooms. Lillie is 14

years old, and lives with her parents at 214 Elliot avenue. In addition to her excellent standing as a scholar, she is also quite accomplished as a young pianist, and is further skilled in the pretty arts of home decoration, one of her favorite occupations being that of fancy work in tissue-paper flowers.

around which to group such trifles as bread and butter, cheese, crackers and the like. To make shrimp, a la Newburg heat one tablespoonful of butter when hot add to it a tablespoonful of flour which has been mixed to a paste in four tablespoonfuls of cream; add the yolks of two eggs, salt, red pepper and mace. Bring to the boiling point, add shrimp and four tablespoonfuls of sherry. Serve at once.

Lobster a la Newburg is made by taking from two good-sized lobsters all the meat, cutting it into one-inch pieces and placing them in a chafing dish with one ounce of butter, a pinch of salt and a very little red pepper. Cook five minutes and add a dash of Madeira. Cook three minutes more and add the yolks of three eggs well beaten with half a pint of sweet cream or milk; cook until it thickens; then serve.

To make mock terrapin put into the chafing dish the dark meat of cold chicken, turkey and grouse, cut in addition to her excellent standing as a scholar, she is also quite accomplished as a young pianist, and is further skilled in the pretty arts of home decoration, one of her favorite occupations being that of fancy work in tissue-paper flowers.

HOLLANDAISE SAUCE.

It May Be Served With All Kinds of Fish, Fillets and Vegetables.

An experienced cook gives the following recipe for Hollandaise sauce as the best ever made: For half a pint of sauce use half a cupful of butter, one-third of a cupful of boiling water, the yolks of four fresh eggs, one tablespoonful of salt and one-half of a teaspoonful of cayenne. Fill a pint bowl with warm water; immediately pour out the water and beat the butter into the bowl and beat it until soft and creamy. Add the yolks of the eggs one by one, beating well. Take the bowl to the fire and serve.

This sauce may be served with all kinds of fish and with all kinds of vegetables. When served with boiled fish add a pint of shrimp or lobster cut into dice may be added to it.

HINTS FOR THE SICK ROOM.

The light in a sick room should be tempered to suit the weakened condition of the patient. The sick room should be kept as cool as possible, and the windows, which can be raised and lowered easily, are the best window curtains. If the invalid is able to sit up, the bed should be raised so as to shut out the light and also the breeze.

If it is possible to have the floor of the sick room uncarpeted much trouble in disinfecting may be spared. The floor should, however, be provided with a few thick rugs or mats, in order that the patient may not be chilled by the cold floor. If the nurse may not be able to get the patient out of bed, the patient should be placed on a mattress on the floor, and the bed should be raised so as to shut out the light and also the breeze.

No nurse who has the slightest regard for the patient's comfort or well-being will permit an unsightly array of medicine bottles, glasses and spoons to be on constant exhibition before him. It is an excellent plan to have a small medicine closet fastened to the side of the bed and to have its contents exhibited only when necessary.

One of the most important arts taught the trained nurse is that of bed-making. Unless the under sheet is drawn tight and smooth the patient suffers. Bedding should be changed daily. If the invalid is able to sit up, the bed should be raised so as to shut out the light and also the breeze.

Ancient Jewish Wealth. From the Chicago Record.

"The Talmud tells us that when Jerusalem was besieged by the Romans, each offering to provide the people for the period of twenty-five years with food and drink. One offered fuel and oil, another salt and corn, and the third wheat and barley. The Jews were so rich that they could afford to give away so much of their wealth. The Talmud also tells us that the Jews were so rich that they could afford to give away so much of their wealth. The Talmud also tells us that the Jews were so rich that they could afford to give away so much of their wealth.

He was an Elder, gray and grim, Of prayer and preachment long. It is a lucky thing for him He died before my song. For what would his Thanksgiving be, Sacred by anticipated cheer?



A FEAST OF THE OLDEN TIME.

Thanksgiving Dinner a Vast Undertaking for the Housekeeper.

The proclamation which first instituted a national Thanksgiving Day embodied a reverent, tender sentiment, worthy of perpetuity in all succeeding generations, and it is gratifying to know that while most old-fashioned customs are passing away, Thanksgiving Day, and above all Thanksgiving dinners, have lost nothing in popular appreciation. Many, alas, forget the main object of the institution, the rendering of thanks for the mercies and benefits vouchsafed them through the year, but none of them forget the dinner.

In the olden time, the Thanksgiving dinner was made the occasion of the healing of all old breaches and family feuds. Many pretty little stories are told concerning the mothers who prepared savory dishes on that day, for the erring ones who had strayed away from the "holy root tree," and set for them empty chairs at the table, hoping that they would that day be filled by the familiar forms—and they always were—in the story-books.

In the early days it was the women of the house who busied themselves with the preparations for this great harvest festival. This accounts, perhaps, for the prodigality of the "Thanksgiving dinner" of the olden times. The actual preparations for the feast began weeks before the appointed time. Jellies, pickles, preserves, sweetmeats of all kind were prepared, and the fatted and best were labeled and set away carefully for "Thanksgiving." Early in November the turkeys running wild in the fields were corralled and the finest gobblers of the flock, perhaps two of them, were chosen and cooped up in the barn, and the carving was done by the housewife, and it was stuffed with nuts until he was fit to set before a king. The finest pig was chosen from the litter and fattened up with corn until the flesh was firm and fair as a baby's, and he was ready for the sacrifice. The geese and ducks were turned into pens near the fattening hogs, for there was not only the family circle to provide for, but there must be a feast for the retainers and the hired hands. Cakes, rich and black with fruit, were made and set away to "ripen," and at the appointed time every one was set to work to make pies and cakes by the dozen, so that by the morning of the great day the good housewife's shelves were a sight to fill with thankfulness the heart of the veriest cynic.

Early, long before the sun was up, the work of the day was begun. A roaring fire blazed in the broad fire-place and a turkey stuffed with only such dressing as the old-time housewives knew how to prepare, was put upon the spit before it, and it was the duty of every person to turn and baste it for hours until the mistress pronounced it done to a turn. The pig and other accompaniments of the dinner were claiming the attention of divers persons. Meanwhile the whole house was undergoing a transformation, and with glowing fires and decorations of gay-colored leaves from the forest, the place was laid away for "Thanksgiving." A chambermaid who was presented with the welcome guests, who now began to arrive in wagons, or lumbering carriages, spread snowy cloths on the tables, and set the table with long and on them were laid the good housewife's treasures, and the feast was begun. The table was decked with the good housewife's treasures, and the feast was begun. The table was decked with the good housewife's treasures, and the feast was begun.

Thanksgiving Ode. To a Degenerate Puritan Maiden.

O dainty, dainty Puritan maid:
What would thy grandsire say,
If he could see thee thus arrayed.
Upon this holy-day?
He was an Elder gray and grim,
No frills and furbelows for him:

What would he say, 'd like to know,
Of that Napoleon hat?
That Marlborough collar's antic bow—
A wild, reversed cravat?
Those Autumn shoes of doeskin tan?
That waist within its leather span?

And what, just think if he but knew,
And what, oh, what, would be his tune.
If more he chanced to learn—
Thy certain steps would turn,
Where voiced in no uncertain note,
Thy sex demands the right to vote?

And horrors!—what, when twilight's hush
Steals over all the scene,
To see thee wend—with neer a blush—
The devious streets between,
Thy way to where, at evening's shade
Thou dimest with a Bachelor-Maid?

QUESTIONS OF ETIQUETTE.

Is it proper for a young lady to be 18 or 19 years of age to play a game of cards for amusement in her own house? M. J. C.

Card playing—subject, of course, to her parents' consent—is a perfectly proper form of amusement for a girl.

Is it proper for a young man to give an engagement party whether he is engaged or not?

It is "proper" enough, but not at all necessary.

Is it a rule or a fashion in this country that the bridegroom buy the wedding dress for the bride? N. H.

No.

A young lady and her mother, living with her married brother and wife, is to be married. Which is proper, for her mother to send out the wedding invitations in her name, or should the brother and wife, with whom they reside? IGNORANCE.

The bride's mother should send out the invitations.

Would it be improper for a young lady to give a gentleman a present whom she is not well acquainted with, but who has been a great favor and she thinks thanking him is not enough? K. F. B.

It would scarcely be "improper," though somewhat unusual and hardly necessary. Her gratitude should be ample payment for the service rendered.

Is it proper to extend church wedding without inviting an escort? Is it proper for a young lady to attend the same without an escort? N. G.

1. Yes. 2. Yes.

When a gentleman is escorting two young ladies home from theater where is the proper place for him to walk, on the outside of the two or in the center? CHAS.

He should walk on the outside.

Please tell who has to provide the bride's veil, gloves, slippers and orange blossoms. JAS.

The articles you mention as well as all others connected with the bride's outfit should be provided by the bride's parents.

I am living in a country town and expect to be married to a gentleman residing in a large city at some distance. We intended to be married very quietly at home, inviting about sixty near relatives and friends. I have never met any of my fiancé's relatives. Any of them attending the wedding will be in town for two or three days probably. We have only one guest room. Should my mother invite the bridegroom's relatives to be her guests at the principal hotel—it is to be a grand one? Should the bridegroom be entertained at my mother's house, or should he go to the hotel? I. W.

It will be eminently proper for your mother to entertain your fiancé's relatives at the hotel. He himself should go to the hotel.

I am corresponding with a young gentleman who has generally answered my letters two or three days after receiving one, but

my last letter has not been answered, and two weeks have gone by. Do you think I will be acting wrongly if I drop his acquaintance? You will be acting remarkably foolish if you drop any desirable acquaintance for such a cause. It is really more correct for any except a relative or a fiancee to allow two weeks to elapse before answering a letter than to answer it immediately. Violent hurry is never "good form."

Please tell me how to entertain one gentleman caller. I can talk and talk too, on subjects that a thinker might enjoy, but the art of "small talk" is entirely new to me. If I talked on the subject I enjoy I would send a new acquaintance away. I want so much to know how to entertain lightly and gracefully, not heartily. E. H.

The "art of airy conversation" is difficult to teach in a single paragraph. Read a few frivolous books; go to the theater; skim the newspapers; learn a little of a great many unimportant subjects and practice on your family! When you find that you can amuse the family dinner party you may be sure it will be easy to entertain a caller.

of the sender with the bride warrants. Anything less formal than "With best wishes," or something similar, had better be sent in a separate note, however.

2. Cards should always be left by callers, in order that the hostess may, when the memory of the call has departed, have some means of knowing to whom she owes calls.

And horrors!—what, when twilight's hush
Steals over all the scene,
To see thee wend—with neer a blush—
The devious streets between,
Thy way to where, at evening's shade
Thou dimest with a Bachelor-Maid?



Thanksgiving week, with its family reunions and its teas and luncheons and dinners for the boys and girls who are home from school for a few days' holiday, is always a gala week. Add to this the wedding, which are always more numerous than during any other week in the year, with their attendant functions, and the balls, and it will be seen at a glance that the last week of November will be socially the most delightful, perhaps, of the whole year.

For this week there are two Thanksgiving balls. The University Club ball, which, though rather a family affair, will be most elegant in all of its appointments and very exclusive, will take place on Thanksgiving eve. The ball of the Daughters of the Confederacy will be given on Thanksgiving night at the Merchants' Exchange.

THANKSGIVING DEBUTANTES



Grace Chayer Moulton.

change and will no doubt prove the most brilliant of the series given by the D. O. C. It is in the hands always of a most exclusive and fashionable set and it is to St. Louis society what the Patriarch ball is in New York. At this ball the debutantes of well society circles will be introduced and there will be a choice bouquet of rose buds this season.

In addition to these functions, Mrs. Ben W. Clark of Pine street will give a large reception on Thursday afternoon in compliance to her daughter, Miss Bessie Clark, who is a debutante. The reception will be followed by a dance for the young people.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. P. N. Johnson will give a large reception in honor of her daughter, Miss Felicia Grundy Judson, to which both married and single young ladies are invited. It will be followed by a dance in the evening for the young people.

On Tuesday evening place will give a reception, introducing her two beautiful young daughters, Misses Nannie and Grace Moulton, who will be assisted by her niece, Mrs. Washington Woods and Miss Annie Fowler and Miss Mitchell will assist the young ladies.

Mrs. William H. Lee of Vandeventer place gives a tea Nov. 25, introducing her daughter, Miss Jeanette Lee, who is a debutante.

Miss Evelyn Ruby will give a progressive euchre party on Monday evening.

On Tuesday Mrs. Randolph Hutchinson entertains the Tuesday Division of the Chart Club. Miss Mattie Sproule will entertain the division of the ladies on Wednesday morning and Mrs. Houston T. Force will entertain the Wednesday afternoon division.

The closing days of the past week were far from dull. On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Wright Treadway gave a beautiful luncheon, at which covers were laid for twelve ladies. The decorations were all red and American Beauty roses were laid at each lady's plate. From there the guests went to the reception given the same afternoon by Mrs. Gains Faddock of Delmar boulevard, in compliment to her daughters, the Misses Faddock.

Miss Alice Orr gave a luncheon on Friday at 1 o'clock in compliment to Miss Kate Bond and her bridesmaids.

Miss Mae Edwards gave a luncheon on Friday at the Grand Avenue Hotel to her young lady friends.

Miss Neva Kelly of West Pine boulevard entertained the Progressive Euchre Club on Friday afternoon.

The Music, Cards and Dancing Club was entertained informally on Thursday evening by Miss Clifford Richardson, who gave a calico party. All of the ladies wore gowns of some cotton fabric, many of them extremely beautiful.

The John A. Logan Euchre Club will give a party on Friday, November 29, at 8 p. m. sharp.

Miss Florence, Superintendent of the Decorative Art Society, is in New York buying the Christmas decorations for the holiday business. To reduce stock the society is holding a clearance sale at their store, 115 Olive street.

Miss Dottie Grace gave a dance on Tuesday to the euchre club of which she is a member.

Mrs. Henry Albert Lloyd gave a tea on Tuesday from 3 to 5 o'clock at her home, 123 Delmar avenue, in compliment to her daughters.

Mrs. Florence West gave a handsome dinner party one evening at her home in Westminister place.

Miss Helene Jones gave a young ladies' tea one afternoon last week.

Mrs. William H. Lee of Vandeventer place entertained her euchre club on Monday evening.

Mrs. Wayne McCrory will give a reception this week in honor of her daughter, Miss Louise McCrory, a debutante.

The friends of Mrs. Telle Baum gave

her a surprise party on Tuesday at the residence of her daughter, 333 Windsor place. The party was given in honor of Mrs. Baum's 55th birthday.

To-morrow evening a prominent wedding will take place at Christ Church Cathedral, the contracting parties being Miss Clara Hopkins and Mr. Louis Hayward. The young couple leave at once on a bridal tour and upon their return will go to house-keeping in the residence formerly occupied by the bride's parents.

Returns.

Mr. and Mrs. George von Schrader returned last week from their bridal trip through the East.

Miss Lida Mangle returned yesterday from Lebanon Springs, where she spent a few weeks.

Mrs. Charles Farrar has returned from a visit to her sister in Madison, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Williams have returned from New York, where they attended the horse show.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cam have returned from Chicago, where they spent a few days.

Miss Ethel Naat has returned from a visit to friends in Kentucky and the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson have returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Robert E. Kimball and son have returned from a visit to friends in Little Rock.

Mrs. James Scullin, and her son, Mr. Randolph Scullin, have returned from a visit to friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Celeste Tracy returned this week from a visit to her relatives at Jonesboro, Mo.

Miss Lydia Chadbourne has returned from a visit to friends in Davenport.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thorburn has returned from a visit to friends in Chicago.

Miss Florence Rhodes, after an absence of several months, has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Glasgow and Mr. Julian Glasgow have returned from the East.

Mrs. M. E. Washington, who has been spending the fall with Mrs. Erasmus Wells

WHO WILL ATTEND



Lily Morrison Carr.

pled by Mr. and Mrs. John P. Neville, on 3rd street.

Miss Kate Bond, the charming daughter of Mrs. Jerome Hill, will be married on Wednesday to Mr. Robertson George Morrow of Tennessee. The ceremony will take place at the handsome home of Mrs. Jerome Hill, 223 Park avenue, at 8 o'clock, a reception to the relatives and intimate friends of the family following. The bride will be attended by Miss Nina Martin of Memphis, the only bridesmaid. Mr. McNeil Bond will act as best man. The young couple leave the same evening for the East, where they will spend their honeymoon, going later to Mammoth to reside.

A new club has been organized by the young ladies of the South Side, which meets every Tuesday at the house of one of the members to dance, pull cards, play cards or "pop corn." Among the members are Misses Lillie Trotter, May Evans, Perla Strauss and Alice Orinwein. The last meeting took place at the residence of Miss May Evans.

A handsome entertainment will be given on the 24th of December by Mrs. Charles Francis to her daughters, Misses Corinne and Emily Francis, who will make their debut upon that occasion. Misses Frances Cabanne and Mary Tillman will assist.

The St. Louis Country Club will give a dance on November 29.

Mrs. A. M. Brisbane entertained a few friends on Wednesday afternoon, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vane Harmon, in honor of Miss Stevenson of Chicago.

Mrs. George Vaughn is entertaining her guests on Thursday evening at her home, 233 Pine street, for the benefit of the organ fund of Shakers Emist during the past week.

The Tuesday Bowling Club met at the Columbia Club on Tuesday.

Miss Paula Frankenthal won the first prize and Miss Harriet Platt the second.

Mrs. William Albert Givens will give a reception to-morrow evening from 3 to 5 o'clock at her home, 424 Fullerton place, in honor of Miss McNeil of Memphis.

Miss Pauline Gehner will give a tea on Friday afternoon at her home, 444 Lindell boulevard.



Lily Morrison Carr.

Visitors.

Mrs. Stearns of California is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clinton F. Rowell, of West Pine boulevard.

Mrs. Wm. Patrick, formerly a resident of St. Louis, arrived last week from Denver to visit her old friends, and is with her niece, Mrs. J. C. Berge of Euclid avenue.

Mrs. George Vaughn is entertaining her niece, Miss Vaughn of Mobile, Ala.

Mrs. John B. Madison has been visiting her St. Louis relatives, will return this week to California.

Miss Julia Benn of Boston has been making a visit to Mrs. Taylor Brent at her suburban home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and their daughter, Miss Florence Brown, of Orange, N. J., have been spending several weeks in the city.

Miss Marie Hume of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her St. Louis relatives.

Miss Bessie Clark of Pine street is entertaining a young lady friend.

Mrs. Robert McCall has been visiting Mrs. Gantt of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Nicholas Schaefer has been visiting Mrs. Latta Brown last week to attend Mrs. Latta's wedding, which takes place this week at St. Joe.

Mrs. Victor Crandall has been entertaining her friend, Mrs. C. B. Sanders of St. Joseph.

Mrs. G. A. Conway has been entertaining Mrs. Wenden of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Drew, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas McPherson, has returned to her home in Washington.

Miss Grace Surges of Chicago has been visiting Mrs. James A. Deakland.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. Russell are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. John Crain of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Short of Princeton

in Canada, will arrive in St. Louis this week.

Departures.

Miss Mamie Eaton left on Friday night to visit relatives in Mobile, Ala.

Mrs. Arthur Ball left last week for a visit to Cincinnati friends.

Mrs. John B. Madison left a few days ago to spend the winter in New Orleans.

Mrs. Frank Fliley has gone to Eureka Springs for a short visit.

Mrs. Fred Hawley left last week to visit friends at St. Joe.

Mrs. E. F. Pratte has gone East for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Garrison have gone South to visit the Atlanta Exposition and to spend the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Latta Brown left last week to attend Mrs. Latta's wedding, which takes place this week at St. Joe.

Mrs. Albert Dorgan left on Friday for her home in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan have gone to New York City for a few weeks.

Mrs. James E. Cole, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Menna, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Mrs. James E. Case has gone East for a few weeks and is now in Washington City.

Mrs. Charles Allen, who will be in the future residing in Chicago, will visit his mother, Mrs. Bertha Allen, this week to the

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Gossip.

Mrs. Kayser, who spent the summer with her daughters, Mrs. Lackland and Mrs. Cotlin, in the East, is domiciled for the winter at the West End Hotel.

Mrs. Joseph Perry, after spending a month with her mother at her home in Denison, Tex., is back, and located for the winter at 310 Linden avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Albers are in California, where they will spend six months, and will be joined later in the season by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fleisch.

Miss Pierrel and her daughter, Miss Daisy Pierrel, made a two-months trip to Europe during the fall, and on their return they stopped in the city to visit their married daughter. They were joined there by Dr. Say, to whom Miss Daisy was engaged, and the marriage was celebrated at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Champlin and wife, formerly Miss Mary Lindley, are making a tour of California, and are now in San Francisco.

Mrs. L. A. Brown and daughters, who have been spending several months in the country, have returned to the city for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Doggett go to Chicago this week to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Doggett's family in Kansas City. The latter part of the week.

Mr. R. J. Dwyer, who spent the summer and fall in the country, have come into the city for the winter, and are located at 210 West Pine boulevard.

Mrs. Richards, who has been spending the past year abroad, is home again, and is with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Moore of Vandeventer place.

Monograms on steel die for stamping paper artistically. Engraved for \$1.75 and \$2.50. E. Jaccard Jewelry Co., Olive and Sixth streets.

Mrs. E. W. Gould and her daughter are spending a few weeks in the East, and will be joined later in the season by Mr. and Mrs. Chapman V. Dean, former residents of St. Louis, have returned to the city to reside, and are established at 333 Olive street.

See our brilliant cut glass tumblers, \$1 to \$10 per dozen; Mermord & Jaccard's, Broadway, corner Locust.

Mrs. Walter C. Taylor will spend the winter in Carlsbad. She sailed last week from New York, and expects to be absent a year.

Gents' Gold Watches \$30. Ladies' Gold Watches \$15. For best value you are obliged to go to the old and reliable E. Jaccard Jewelry Co., Olive and Sixth streets.

Mr. Charles Weiss has issued cards to her friends, notifying them of her change of residence. She has moved to Lucas avenue, and receives her friends on Mondays.

Mrs. N. O. Jackson of Webster Groves is making a visit to her daughter in Denver.

Mr. Henry Siegert went on last week to join his wife and little daughter, who have been spending the fall season at the Waldorf in New York City. After attending the horse show they have returned to St. Louis and are at the Grand Avenue Hotel.

Mrs. Dr. Gerould is making a visit to her relatives at her old home in Auburn, N. Y. She will not return home until after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean of the South Side have gone South for a few weeks, and are now at the Atlanta Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Miller, who have recently returned to the city, are now at Hotel Beers for the winter.

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Mme. Vale's Skin Food (small)	.50
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Nannie E. Moulton.

THANKSGIVING AT THE UNION MARKET.

Thanksgiving Day is essentially a day of feasting.

Contrary to the impression held by most people, the price of poultry at this season is higher when the weather is warm than when it is cold. The farmer has to sell his poultry to the market alive. In coop the fowls cannot be crowded beyond a certain limit, and the expressage is a big item. When the weather is cold and there is no danger of the fowls being starved, the dressed birds can be packed in barrels very compactly and no expressage paid on the refuse. To be sure, the demand is somewhat brisker when the weather is cold, but there is no real glut in the market for turkeys just before Thanksgiving.

The market people do not stop at domestic fowls, but offer a variety of wild game. A pair of turkeys, a pair of geese, a pair of mallard ducks, a pair of white teal and wood ducks are offered at the market. The market people demand at this season, and offerings of choice stock are made at \$150 per dozen. The market people also offer choice turkeys, and all other specimens of the feathered tribes demanded by epicures are on hand. The market people also offer choice turkeys, and in large game offer their customers a variety of venison from the forests of Minnesota and Arkansas. Choice cuts of black bear brought from Wisconsin, and choice cuts of wild game, such as squirrels, and jack rabbits, opossums, raccoons and smaller game. The market people also offer choice turkeys, and in large game offer their customers a variety of venison from the forests of Minnesota and Arkansas. Choice cuts of black bear brought from Wisconsin, and choice cuts of wild game, such as squirrels, and jack rabbits, opossums, raccoons and smaller game.

the common run which can be secured from the surrounding country, the gardens of the country are filled with all sorts of melons, pumpkins, cucumbers, and eggplants, and upon, and cucumbers, at 15 to 20 cents per bushel, and eggplants, at 75 cents per bushel. The plant, string beans, beets and okra have been secured in order that the taste for "something new" may be satisfied.

It is somewhat of a problem to secure a supply of fruit especially for Thanksgiving. California, Tokyo, Concord and other grapes, beside vast quantities of pears and apples, are being looked upon as staples. Strawberries, however, may be looked on as a novelty and bought for half price.

With all these articles mentioned an ordinary St. Louisian should be able to select a Thanksgiving dinner which will not make him hunger, but make him glad that the Thanksgiving festival was inaugurated and that he was a part of it, which is certain to be observed.

(An extract from Will Carleton's "Festivals of the People")

Pis in the thrifftiest autumn days,
 When earth is overgrown,
 And forest trees have caught the breeze
 And blown it away by storm,
 When up the gray smoke puffs and curls
 From cottage chimney-lips,
 And oft the wind whistles through the turfs
 The black sails of his ships;
 Or Indian summer, dimly seen,
 May still reveal the valley through,
 And paint the glass walls of the air
 In tints of dreamy blue;
 When autumn's golden harvest is lost
 Among the leaflets dead;
 And winter, in words of frost,
 Has telegraphed ahead;
 When far afield the farmer blows
 His fingers numb,
 And robs from stately corn-bill rows
 Their pocketbooks of gold;
 When with a drizzle of forklike nets
 The cloud-gensse southward fly,
 In branches less than wings that do
 Show the liquid sky;
 When to their meals the goblins strut,
 And crowd the room,
 And little dream that they are but
 A dew-drooping food;
 When the chains of the chimney-vests
 Of apoplexy to dry,
 And in his baroque vestra rests
 The patient, doomed to die,
 Or, still the recent crooked sport
 The knife-edge of the knife,
 His blushing gowls, with lanced port
 Upon the gallow's hang,
 And the good folk display
 A reverential cheer,
 And the good man, at one whole day
 For all the rest the year.

The President proclaims that thus
His duty once directed;
The Governor has written us
Unto the same effect;
Now let the heavenly lights be cast
And all the angels kind
Begin to realize at last
For what they were at first;
Now rob your fellowmen of their gains,
And all the pleasures of their gains,
That they who eat may see the wages
A little farther on;
Now let your clans of cousins meet,
And talk the language of their
And thank the Lord for what they eat,
By eating all the more;
Now let your industry's reward
Achieve a fair degree of
And hearts and stomachs thank the Lord,
Alternately all day!

Bedroom Kinks.
The art of bed-making is not any too well understood. In the morning each blanket and sheet should be taken separately from the bed and folded in half, and then in an hour or so. Two mattresses should be turned before the bed is made, and the bed should be well aired at the head. Pass the hands over it carefully to get every crinkled crease out. Next place the pillow at the head, and the blanket at the foot, in position. Put on the upper sheet at the head, and the lower sheet at the foot. Next put on the blankets, tucking them in at the foot and the blanket and then your blankets and sheets both down in a smooth line between the pillows. Then come over on the bolster. Then over the bolster place the pillow. You are used to this, but it is a mistake to think that it is important to have the blanket and sheet tucked under the pillow. It is not. It is important to have the blanket and sheet tucked under the pillow.

The sweet chimes in Pilgrim Congregational Church will be heard in Thanksgiving song on Thursday morning. Who in the West End has not listened to the soft melody of the chimes floating through the still air in some tuneful hymn?

Melodized by the downward and outward
 bar waves the tones are passing sweet,
 and they appeal to that emotion which sad
 music awakens even in the breast of
 the irreligious, more strongly perhaps than
 does the most finished musical performance.
 There is something in the simple melody of
 the chimes which reminds one of the peace
 of green fields and nature's quiet. That
 music flooding down from above lifts one
 out of the noise, the strife, the turmoil,
 the vice, the misery, "that burn like the
 terriblest unquiet slumber of sick life" of
 the city. Who can tell to how many stin-
 ked souls it has brought messages of peace;
 how many it has led heavenward?

was with the gift of these chimcs that W. Oliphant sought to perpetuate the memory of his departed wife and son, Robt. W. Oliphant, the youngest of the family, a staunch church and it was hung in the tower on the completion of the noble spire of the Church, on December 24, 1878. The bells in number weigh 10,981 pounds, and they are among the finest and most resonant in the country. The bells were cast by the bell foundry of Menzies & Kimberly, L. & C. H. Menzies said of them: "The chime is composed of the proper number of vibrations, and will never make a perfect chime. No change in the composition would produce any better bells. The composition is solely of the best new metal, the quality of the metal is the very finest metals which can be cast into bells. The tower, in respect to its construction, is the best of the kind, and perfect for the express of sound. I consider perfect. The bells of Pilgrim Church fully

How many people know what manner of musician a carillonneur is? That is the name given to a chime-ringer. H. W. Lyman is the carillonneur of Pilgrim Church. The Associated Press-Dispatch reporter was in the clock and chime room early on Wednesday night when the bells were calling the Pilgrim members to the weekly prayer meeting. Away up a dark, narrow, winding stairway just beneath the clock tower the bells rang. The chime is not ringing. The brilliant light of the resonant striking of the big clock in a case over the carillonneur's head.

There is no easy work ringing those chimes. Summer it is exhaustive and on the cold days it is a severe physical and mental exercise to produce perspiration. The bells are below the clock-work, above that the bell frame, and above that the bell tower. The bell is the clock face. The carillon bells stand in front of a square enclosed place, the bell tower. The bell frame is above the bell tower. The bell frame is suspended in ten wooden rods communicating with the bells above. The rods are manipulated by ten handles or shafts arranged by a lever, which is connected to the keyboard and are arranged in the following order:

1. F. C. D. B. Eb. F. G.
2. A. B. C. D. E. F. G. A.
3. The wooden rods are attached to chains in the bell tower, which, running over pulleys, are attached to the bell frame. The bells, and on sharply depressing the lever any bell, that bell is rung. A spring is attached to the bell frame, which restores it to its original position released.

will be seen that by the arrangement the key-board only tunes in E flat or A major. Naturally, too, any tune in these two keys can be transposed to these two keys. Naturally, too, any tune in E flat or A major can be transposed from E flat to A or from A to E flat. But there are many tunes in other keys, and it is not so simple the melody the sweeter it sounds on the bells.

For instance, Mr. Lyman uses the solo of the church hymnal, playing from single soprano notes. If it becomes tedious to treat the solo in this way, music. Chime music is especially welcome, but it is not much used. Some of the best support with perfect vocal set pieces with chords and accompaniment played, using one foot and both hands simultaneously, and the chime can be played at once. But one couple of the in tune to play an accompaniment the chime runs through. The single notes duces the best effect.

Apparently any one with musical ear ought to be able to manipulate a piano, but it is not so easy as it looks. It requires practice and plenty of it. Every key being of different size and weight, requires a different expenditure of force to depress it, and the art is to exercise just sufficient force to obtain uniformity and a clear sound. If too violently rung the sound dwells in the air, producing a discord with the next rung. If not rung with too lightly touches the effect is spoiled.

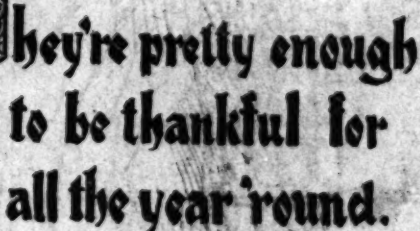
is a singular thing that some of the best old tunes when played on an organ or rendered chorally do not sound well at all on bells. "Portuguese Hymn" rings grandly, and such familiar old tunes as "The Hymn of the Centuries," "Sweet, Sweet, Sweet," sound particularly pleasing. And difficulty besets the carillonner. Close to the bells he scarcely hears them, the sound goes outward through the opening in the tower, and does not penetrate through the ceiling between the tower and the bells. Again, the noise made by the rods and levers counteracts what he is reaching him, so that he cannot learn the effects he is producing.

bells and apparatus require a great deal of care. The straps, rods and chains are to be kept in good order and to be put out of order and must be checked. Nor is that all. Although shielded from the weather, the temperature affects the bells and after a time they get out of tune. They have to be retuned at intervals. How many people do have an idea how to go about tuning? Not many. It may be imagined, since necessary to send for an expert from a foundry to do the work. The way it is is this: To lower the tone the edge of the bell must be rounded off by filing, and to raise the tone it is necessary to sharpen the edge.

Lyman will ring the following num-
bered by the Union Thanksgiving service
Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.
The program includes:
1. The Lord's Prayer.
2. The National Anthem.
3. The Thanksgiving Hymn.
4. A reading from the Bible.
5. A collection.

Fanksgiving Letter to Grandma.
 n Good Housekeeping.
 ar Drama: I flinked I would write you
 a letter
 tell you how I love you—a bushel or
 more;
 ma hopes that how your sore foot is
 all better.
 we'll come to Fanksgiving as we did
 before.

"We make up some pies and some pud-
 dings and jelly."
 "Turkey with stuffing and onions, and then
 we don't you forget that I like stuffing
 smelly."
 "From your 'fectionate Charlie."
 "Amen."
 "Grandma, dear soul, as she pores o'er
 the letter,
 "With smiles on her lips and such mist in
 her eyes
 "As if she wiped off her glasses to see
 through them better."
 "Thus out a whole sheaf of puddings
 and pies—
 "And of cookies; of custards and jelly."
 "A battalion of gingerbread men,
 "At least, not at least, a fat turkey cooked
 "By the youngsters who vote her



**A Collegiate Atmosphere En-
hances Their Beauty.**

LEBANON, Ill., Nov. 22.—The "City of Cedars" is justly proud of its young ladies.

FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN.

Thanksgiving Eve Collection of the
Children's Home Society.

Thanksgiving Day is not always one of heart sunshine and glad rejoicing over blessings heaped upon one's head. There are many among the world's unfortunate who have little to be thankful for; even the breath of life but lets them live and suffer; many to whom it comes as a reminder only of better days, the motive for discontent over a life, all too dark. Mingled with the sweet songs of praise and thanksgiving, which the people of this country will sing aloft on this good old Puritan feast day, there are many hearts in which the shadows in the hearts of sorrow may be lifted and the light of hope make sunshine for

And in this glad refrain there will be heard the piping voice of childhood, in the song of the young men and women of the State it is to rise and swell. With the hope of the heart there is to be the hope of the land. The little children of the State are golden, and nothing for other little ones to whom race has not been so and thus they will make the day one of downy peace.

On the north side of Olive street, just below the corner of Seventeenth street, there stands a red brick building, looking old now and weathered. Perhaps you will say that it is scarcely an inviting place for a young man to come to, but a little invisible telephatic wire into the warm heart of every school child in Missouri, and this building will be able to dash a message which in results will echo for years to come.

THE SCHOOLS OF ST. LOUIS

The group presented in to-day's Sunday Post-Dispatch is representative of as fine a class of girls as can be found anywhere. Beauty, culture and refinement blend to produce in each a composite picture of grace and loveliness that befits with rich affluence in the galaxy of fair women. That this city should possess a superior class of young people is but a natural result of the influences that are potent in the community. Nearly three score and ten years ago, when the first of the McKendricks came to this city, they brought with them the best of their kind, and their influence on the generations as they come and go, which has resulted in a nobility of womanhood such as only old colleges

Men's Home Society of Missouri and the officers of the charity are going to ask that every child to whom has fallen the lot of a homeless child, be remembered in the prayers of the day before they give thanks for themselves, remembering that father and mother and home have been taken—remember the desolation of mothers and sisters.

Each child is asked to give something. If a child has a copper cent and just as sure as the sun will rise on to-morrow there is a chance that the child will be remembered in the alma-asking from fond parents, and the "Homeless Children" will receive a gift. The Children's Home Society of Missouri is a rich one. J. D. Vinceli is President. Its Board of Directors contain many prominent names. The women of the city and of Louisiana women who are warmly interested in charitable work. The Superintendent is Mrs. J. H. Harrison.

It is for the children at this home that the Red Cross children have been asked to subscribe each one his or her little mite. Of course the contributions are not in the form of money. They will give what is chosen, and then only whatever they can spare. The children are during school hours on Wednesday and Thursday will forward the money to Supt. Tenant.

A Good Recipe.

Now that cranberry season approaches, here is a recipe to save all the soft berries and wash the remainder thoroughly; place for about two minutes in a strainer to drain. Then place in a stove in cold water. Allow a pint of water to each quart of berries. Bring to a gentle boil and cook for about 15 minutes. Drain off the liquid and add a half of sugar, allowing three cups of sugar to each quart of berries; add sugar, allowing three cups of sugar to each quart of berries; add a couple of slices of apple. Return to the stove and cook for 15 minutes. Then add a couple of slices of apple.

towns possess. Statistics show that Lebanon has more musical instruments in proportion to its population than any other city in the State. Lebanon's daughters are all musicians and those presented to-day are all skillful performers and would merit the plaudits of any audience. Not alone do they excel in music, but in the other arts as well. Many of them are excellent musicians, and the collection of the St. Louis exposition exhibits each year specimens of their handiwork with brush and pencil. While they have been so successful in the arts, they have not neglected the humbler and more practical ones. Many of them have won high reputations for their skill in the art of cookery, and the young man who is an

VEGETABLE SOUPS.

Rules for Making Them Economically and Deliciously.

"Well begun is half done," and the hostess who serves her dinner guests with delicious soup has won half the battle of giving a successful dinner. Vegetable soups are the most economical, and if they are carefully prepared they are as delicious as consommé with all its variations. They are better when made with soup "stock," but they are also good when made with water alone.

Potato soup, or as the French call it, potage parmentier, in honor of the man who introduced potatoes into France, is a thick soup made of potato stock, but it can also be made with milk and milk water. Begin by frying a small onion, chopped, in one or two ounces of butter, without letting it take color in the slightest. Then add a small amount of sliced and peeled potatoes, a small turnip (a piece of celery when in season), and two quarts of white stock. Let the whole come to a boil and then simmer for a couple of hours. Then remove the turnips and remove the place of celery and add all the rest through a hair sieve. Return to the fire, add a little salt, a dash of walnut, a piece of chopped thyme or parsley, and serve at once. Variation: You may use milk instead of stock, and finely chop a handful of chervil and double the quantity of butter. Put in the potatoes and turnips about three quarts of white stock and a pound of butter or half of that amount. Let the soup come to a boil and then simmer for three or three hours, after which pass through a hair sieve, adding a little salt, a piece of butter, and serve.

Lebanon as so secure his wife from among Lebanon's fair daughters need have no fears of dying of dyspepsia.

3. The name of the representative belles in the city:

Miss Ottile Pesold, daughter of Prof. Pesold, a musician, occupies a high position in the estimation of her numerous friends. She is tall and graceful, and in figure and a pianist of exceptional ability.

Miss Ada Stark is a young lady of cultivated tastes, and of a character quite as zealous worker in church circles as is an ecclesiastic of rare ability.

Miss Nellie Zerwick, daughter of ex-Senator Zerwick, one of the most popular young ladies of the city. She is a blonde, and has a singing voice of a pleasant, clear, sweet, or no little degree.

Turnips in saues and put them in a sauce pan with one ounce of butter, previously melted, and a vesary of bacon cut in dice. When the turnips are tender, add to them one pint of milk and one and one-half ounces of butter in a sauce pan, mix it with the same quantity of flour, and add gradually a pint of milk, stirring all the while with a wooden spoon, and some herbs have been boiled. Add this to the turnips, stir altogether for a minute or two, then run the whole through a colander, and add to it one pint of cream, then add enough white stock to bring the purée to a right consistency. Stir till the soup boils, add pepper and salt to taste. Just before serving add a dust of the fire—the yolk of an egg beaten up with a gill of cream.

Put a half of butter into a stew pan, and then melted and six small carrots cut in small cubes. Fry them in the butter for about five minutes, then add two cups of water and simmer for five minutes for both vegetables for five minutes longer; then add three pints of second stock, a pinch of salt, a dash of pepper, a dash of thyme, and three medium sized floury potatoes, cut in small cubes. Simmer for five minutes, and let the contents simmer till the carrots are perfectly soft; then pass the soup through a fine sieve, and mix it all together, return to a clean saucepan, reheat and serve. Tomato soup is also a most delicious and healthy soup, but it is greatly improved by trying a rather of lean bacon and a little of the fat.

Soupe à l'oignon. The soup of the French, *soupe à l'oignon*, is about as simple as soup can be made. It is made by boiling onions in a highly restorative when made only with water, and is greatly improved by the addition of a considerable quantity of nourishment. The method of preparing it is as follows:—Put a pound of onions in a stew pan, with them a golden color in plenty of butter, then add a small amount of flour; stir well, and add a pint of water, and a dash of salt. If you want soup "light" to the bowl, and a dash of lemon juice, and a little of the highly done, in the last stage, stir up

Miss Lucile Earg, is a pronounced blonde, with winning manners and a lively disposition. She is a recognized leader among the students in society with which she is connected.

Miss Lennis Hollis, daughter of John Hollis, is a blonde, and is one of the most popular favorite in society. She is a brunette, perfect in form, amiable in disposition, and a recognized leader in society.

Miss Lou Reiman has dark hair and brown eyes, and is very attractive in appearance. She is a member of her friends, and has a host of friends.

Miss Nora Webb, only daughter of Hon. J. C. Webb, is a blonde, and is a graceful and attractive blonde of medium height and perfect form. She is an elegant and popular leader in society, and will graduate this year at Monticello.

One bread into fingers one-fourth inch broad and one and one-half inches long and place them on a buttered tin in the oven until they are browned. Then, after they are taken into the tureen, and when they pour the soup over them and serve with grated Parmesan cheese handed round on a separate plate. This soup may be varied by substituting cauliflower for the turnip, or a hair sieve and afterwards boiling some French tapiocks in the soup. In this case no corn should be added at the commencement, and the cauliflower should be added at the end. Grated cheese are not necessary. With all these soups, not counting the latter, square portions of bread fried in boiling fat should be served. It is a good thing to know how useful to know that when there is no

In the Bathroom

All drain pipes should be kept carefully sealed. Failure to follow this rule has been the cause of countless cases of milk, or worse, for children. It is very hard to imagine in an inconceivably short time millions of bacteria can be introduced into the house by the waste water with deadly vapors. It is not only the bacteria which are introduced to infection in this way, but also the air is infected, how much more is the case when the drain pipes are not properly sealed. The deadly vapor escaping from the drains is not only deeper receptacles of air from the waste water of the most filthy places, but also the air from the sewer. It is only one way to be convinced of this. The only way to guard against this is to keep drains closed when not directly used. The best way to do this is to seal against foul air with a stopper and closing it with a stopper. The stopper should be covered over the stopper, of the kind used for hot water bottles. The stopper should be covered with a piece of paper and the stopper for the drain should be inserted in the stopper for the hot water bottle.

REASON - OR IN RHYME!

A CONTRIBUTION BY JOE, OUR OFFICE BOY.



WORDS FOR THE "FUNNY" MAN.

Fainless Dentistry of a Sort Which Certainly Did Not Pay.

The dentist was torturing his victim in the usual double fashion. The story he was telling at that moment was so himself.

"When I was young in the profession," said he, "I was working in a country place for a few weeks to help a friend. One day a farmer came in—a big, muscular chap, full-blooded—one of the sort whose teeth come like the roots of oak trees.

"As he sat in the chair he asked, 'Will it hurt?'

"Feeling in rather a jocular mood, I answered, 'Well, if it doesn't it shan't cost you anything.' Then I fell to work.

"The tooth came even harder than I expected, so as the man got up from the chair and pulled himself together—he had not altered a sound—I said, 'Well, did it hurt?'

"'Not a bit,' answered the countryman, and strode out of the office, leaving me with a fee, completely nonplussed, and the laughing countenance of my friend and the two or three patrons who sat about the office.

"I have never tried to be funny professionally since," said he meditatively.

DIDN'T MATCH IT.

From the Upholsterer.

I cannot too forcibly advise great care in the selection of styles. An uncle of mine became rich, and spent an immense amount of money in furnishing his drawing-room in pure Louis XV. style. Everything was costly and accurate. He spent eighteen months on the task. When it was finished he asked a friend, a great art critic, to dinner, and afterward took him upstairs and showed him the room—his triumph. The critic examined everything carefully, and at last gave a sigh and said, "Everything, my dear sir, in this room is genuine, perfect, and harmonious, save one."

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REMAINS OF A FIGHT.

From the Washington Post.

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HOW IT HAPPENED.

Lee: "Pshaw! I guess this is the first time in your life you've got to the office on time in the morning."

Perrine (shamefacedly): "Well, you see, I wasn't last night with a friend away out in Jersey."

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WANTED A SISTER, CONDITIONALLY.

From the New York Evening Sun.

Children are natural-born savages, little barbarians, in whom the raw, primal instincts show themselves clearly and without mercy. There was once an only daughter, who, after much deliberation, announced to her mother one day that she did so wish she had a little sister.

The mother at once expressed herself as much pleased that the little girl had such a wish.

"Only," pursued the small girl, "I should like her, you know, to be just a little uglier and a little awkward, and a good bit dumber than I am; and I should like every one to admire me ever so much more and to like me better. Oh, I should just love to have a little sister, if things were that way."

And the mother promptly said: "You wicked, wicked child! Oh, such a thought as that right out of your naughty little mind, or it will become a part of you, and warp and embitter your whole life!"

But the small girl only said, serenely: "Still, I shouldn't want a sister unless I were lots nicer than she was in every way."

GAVE HIMSELF AWAY.

From the New York Herald.

He tipped his brandy and soda in a dejected sort of way, and raised wearily out of the club windows.

"No," he said to the young man with the high collar, "I'm not going to be married. That is, unless I will sign the temperance pledge, and I won't do that for any woman. It would have been all right if the girl's mother hadn't learned that I drank."

"Who told her?" asked the tall-collared person.

"I did," replied the sad young man. "Met the girl and her ma on the street the other day, and invited them to come and have a glass of soda. Idiotic, wasn't it? Ah, yes, I was saying to her ma, 'never drank anything intoxicating. A mild drink like this is sufficient for a young man.'"

"And then I lifted a glass of soda to my lips, blew off the froth, said 'Here's how!' and gulped it down. Well, the old lady looked horrified, and Ella said, 'Why, Jack! Then there was a long talk with her ma and her pa the next day, and here I am, inconvenient to be absent-minded, isn't it?'"

A Chin in the Afterworld.

From the Rockland Tribune.

"If it hadn't been for you," observed the shade of Napoleon on the 10th of December, "the Duke of Wellington, 'the world might have been mine.'"

"That is the shade of the Iron Duke," complacently replied, "I must confess that I was too many for you."

"And yet," the Emperor continued, "look here!"

Together they leaned over the cloudy-balcony.

"Napoleon," Napoleon said, with a broad, downward sweep of his arm, "thousands of books, millions of magazines, portraits, and every other thing that the whole world was talking Napoleon."

"And what of me?" the Duke asked.

"Well," Napoleon retorted, "I returned, 'now and then you are mentioned in the papers for the purpose of taking stock of damages and assessing whether he had enough material on hand to sew him up, when a party of reporters hurried into the room. As they stared upon the ghastly object before them one of them asked, with the mind on the possibility of a good story, 'Is he dead?'"

"Is he dead?" It was a repetition of the question, but it came from the victim himself. "He is dead," he repeated slowly, but the amount of scorn expressed in his three words could not be told in three pages. He might have gone on and asked if any one imagined for a moment that he would allow himself to be killed by any such knook-kneed, no account, dead-end fellow, and the patient did not open his mouth again until the surgeon began stitching a damaged eyelid, and then he said, "I wonder whether there was any chance of saving the optic."

Chemistry in the Kitchen.

From the New York Weekly.

"My love, these biscuits are sour; horribly sour. Young Wife (who took the chemistry prize boys' own month) went to add soda, my dear, but, never mind, After tea we can walk out and get some soda water."



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HIS EXPERIENCE WITH OFFICERS.

From the Youth's Companion.

The extreme cheapness of military titles a few years after the war is well illustrated by a story that was told at a recent campfire. The narrator said that in the year 1890 he was traveling through a certain populous country district and stopped to converse with a farmer who had a considerable number of men at work in his hay fields.

"Most of these men are old soldiers," said the farmer.

"Indeed?" asked the traveler.

"Yes," answered the farmer, "I am a private, and that fellow beyond was a corporal, but the man beyond him was a Major, and that man 'way over there in the corner was a Colonel."

"Well," said the farmer, "that private's a first-class man, and the Corporal's pretty good, too."

"But how about the Major and the Colonel?" asked the traveler.

"The Major's so-so," said the farmer.

"But the Colonel?"

"Well," answered the farmer, "I ain't a-going to say a word against a man who was a Colonel in the war; but I've made up my mind to one thing—I ain't a-going to hire any Brigadier-Generals!"

THE NEW WOMAN'S HUSBAND.

From the New York Sun.

With his right hand he hastes to rock the pretty wicker cradle.

And with his left hand in a sock.

He stands behind a pot of mud.

And tries to wield the ladle.

And as he works he faintly wails the temperance pledge, and the rest of the house is furnished in the most heterogeneous manner conceivable.

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SENSELESS SIMIANS.

"Papa, do monkeys imitate men in every thing?"

"Not in everything, my son; they have just enough sense to refrain from trying to be professional reformers."



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NEW?

From Puck.

Her bloomer no one would have her resign; No longer we challenge her vote; Her bloomers we grant her, nor will we resign. If she dons a claw-hammer coat.

But her claim to be really, distinctively "new" is all things the equal of man— We cannot admit till she proves she can do a few things the other sex can.

For instance, we're forced to withhold her degree— She can't with the graduates stand— Until she can pick up a stone, do you see? And throw it at a mark—underhand.

Nor is she entitled to permanent fame As the equal of him she decries. Until she can hold her revolver at "aim," And shoot without closing her eyes.

A CHARIOT.

Willis: "Why did you give that man a cocktail before paying him that money?"

AN EDITOR'S NIGHTMARE.

From Pearson's Weekly.

The former editor of the Scotsman, when he retired to enjoy his well-earned leisure, gave Alexander Russell this advice: "The conduct of a daily paper," he said, "is always a very serious thing, full of dangers and difficulties; but in addition to its usual anxieties you, my friend, will every night have to keep the most vigilant watch lest that man Bill Burton should contrive to insert his theory, about Scotch cheeses and your columns."

It is not necessary to particularize what it was that will suffice to say that this theory, based upon the exposure of Scotch cheeses in front of the shops, and the treatment to which they were consequently exposed—was not complimentary, or likely to recommend them to the purchaser.

"Day and night," said Russell, "for fifteen years, I have never forgot my predecessor's warning. A hundred times that theory endeavored to gain admittance into my columns, and by most unlooked for channels; sometimes it lurked concealed in an article about the Crimean war, sometimes in one of the divorce cases, sometimes in one on the division of the Free Church in Scotland."

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From the London Leader.

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A NEW COOL SELLER.

From the New York World.

It was a long-haired, limber-jawed man, with eyes like bottled onions and a voice which sounded like the squeak of a barn door. He had been standing several minutes by the desk of a Washington street egg dealer, in an attitude of abject apology, when the proprietor suddenly said, "Well, sir?"

"Yes, I've been in eggs, I believe?"

"Yes, how many dozen do you want?"

"The visitor staggered as it struck with a sickening thud, but he recovered himself and stammered:

"I—I don't want to buy any. I've got a scheme to increase your business."

"Well, out with it; this is my busy day," snapped the egg merchant.

"You know the queen bee lays about 3,000 eggs in twenty-four hours?"

"Yes," answered the dealer.

"I—I have discovered how to graft a queen bee on a hen, and that will make her bang!"

The Modern Way.

From Puck.

First New Yorker (Sunday morning): "Thirtieth, old man?"

Second New Yorker: "You bet I am!"

First New Yorker: "Let's go in and get something to eat."

A Disheartening Ratio.

From the Detroit Tribune.

Here is an Oriental monarch with 3,000 wives. What a destiny is that for woman.

She: "Ah, yes. That is worse than the seaside."

PROOF OF IT.

Millson: "Do you believe that the souls of the departed can communicate with us after death?"

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NOT MUCH DOUBT OF IT.

The steam roller rolled o'er the stray canine. And flattened him east and west; He hadn't a chance to utter one whine. But his pants no doubt were pressed.

SHE RID AGAINST HERSELF.

From the Ohio State Journal.

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Bloomers!

We are a pair of you know what
And let us state right on this spot,
Though some think baggy things like us
Unworthy of much talk and fuss
We have a right to speak we guess, we're shapely too
As most confess and swelled with pride we're glad to vex
The prudish and cranks, of either sex, who have no shapes
Together limbs whose chests are flat as tire rims
Fairy curves that we encase the next Venus Milo give place
As over road and hill Country, turf or trail
health we bring, speaks that sing
clearer brains and pains, now
feels at best gentle rest
hurrah for us silly wicked
lost and will cling
e'er

WEIGHED AND FOUND WANTING.

From the San Francisco Post.

They didn't know they were attracting attention, but they were. Fragments of their conversation, dropped along Market street, were caught and carefully treasured by passers-by, but a couple that heard it all.

"Can't you say yes?" he pleaded, as he sat down behind the bar, for the man that dropped at her side and didn't find it.

"Oh, don't ask me," she groaned, as she rolled her eyes up to the top story of the Parrott building across the street.

"But I can't help it. You will, won't you, dearest?"

"I can't tell yet. Be patient. Wait a little."

"Oh, how can I be patient until I know you are mine. You know I love you from the bottom of my heart. Can't you say the word?"

She started, and gazed at him searchingly. "You do not love me! My eyes are opened!" she hissed. "But—but—yet—I'll give you one more chance to prove it. I'll give my life for you. If I had fifty lives, I'd give them all to you. I love you, I love you. Can you give me no encouragement?"

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A FIJI ROMANCE.

From the Somerville Journal.

There was a young maid in Fiji, And in number she was three. But which she loved best, That she needed a test.

To tell her, so doubtful was she, So she stirred up a cannibal war, Till the whole land was reddened with gore.

Got slain with a gun— But her heart was as light as before.

So she didn't love that one, she knew, But she still was in doubt what to do, For young man No. 1, For all she could see, Was no dearer than youth No. 2.

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NOT SO VERY BUSY, AFTER ALL.

From the Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Mann: "Charles will have time to-day to see about getting some butter."

Mr. Mann: "Really, don't see how I can. I've got so much to do to-day, you know."

Mrs. Mann: "Oh, very well, I suppose I can go myself. And, by the way, if I am to go down town, you may as well give me the car, as I may as well do a little shopping while I am about it."

Mr. Mann: "You think of it, I shan't be very busy to-day. I'll see about the butter."

THE END.

"Men may come and men may go, but I go on forever!"

"That's the brook stopped—"

"The one cure of a long, long life, which had to be broken off, and which was daily came to a full stop!"

MENTAL ATHLETICS.

Parson: "Doctor tells me I ought to take more exercise."

Baldie: "Why don't you stand on your head, and ride some of your wheels?"

DEFENDS OF CIRCUMSTANCES.

Beattie: "Do you think a man ought to open letters addressed to his wife?"

Benedict: "That depends; if she is present, he never does; if she is absent, he does."

Beattie: "You mean, if she is absent, he does?"

Benedict: "Yes, but I can only find out after."

